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The Church of Visitation, the new Catholic church at Illiopolis, was dedicated sunday. Bishop Ryan was present and conducted the services. Rev. W. C. Miller left today for Aurora

where he will attend the meeting of the Congregational association. On Tuesday evening he will deliver a lecture on Stould There Be Changes in our Modern Revival Methods.." Mrs. J. M. Cranted Leave of ry. of the Congregational church will attend the missionary society which will be held at the same time.

The congregation of the Methodist church at Long Creek held their quarterly meeting Sunday. The services were conducted by Rev. A. M. Danely, assisted byterian church, by Rev. T. H. Agnew.

light members of the Y. M. C. A. went to Casner Sunday and held meetings afternoon, and which were well attended by the young

Prof. Gilcrest, of the Eureka college. prached Sunday at the old Christian and drew from church on North Edward street. There lite He made were large congregations at all these ser-

> At the German Methodist church Sun. day evening Rev. J. C. Rapp held services in memory of the late Mrs. M. Roeder, of at Louis

Rev. John >. Cook preached at the Unirealist church Sunday. The members pect to hold services every Sunday.

At St. John's Episcopal church Sunday of the charles in orning the actor, Rev. Frank N. Atkin, preached to a good sized congregaafter so that the ren. He spoke of the church members ao pretend to give much toward the sary for him to so of of the church and who fail to Cloker will do be a mything when the collection plate to Westmanster comes fround A solo entitled "God of v. Life was sung by Miss Mae Haralong harming manner.

At a form I reception will be tendered A Clober if the College street chanel st Inchas evening.

The I do s of the Westminster chanci higher an ne cream social this evening. Times Lisher Powers, of New York, If give a musical entertainment at the ist Presbyterian church next Thursday ning. The proceeds will be used to y of the organ fund of the church.

CONCERT AT CHURCH.

Will be Given Tuesday Night by Pupils of Mrs. Nellis.

t anorrow evening the annual concert y pupils of Mrs. Adeline Louis Nellis ill he given at the First M. E. church, ssisted by Prof. A. G. Robyn, the celerated organist of St. Louis. It will be n exceptionally fine concert and will atand a large audience. This will be the (a) Gipsy Chorus—Balfe.

(b) Player, 'O, Thou Supreme' -Balfe. The Mariners," Randegger-Mrs. Nellis, Messrs, Kepler and Dunstan. 'My Heart at Thy Sweet Voice," Saint dens-Mrs Dymis Howard

Organ Sol -Prof. A. G. Robyn. Angels Screnade, Braga, (violin_obliato by Miss Mac Harwood) - Miss Emma

· The Message of the Bells," Leni-Miss · O Den Patale," Verdi-Miss May Organ Solo-Prof. Robyn.

'The Daisy,' Arditi-Miss Mae Har-"Say Not Parewell," Millard,-Miss

Ave Maria, Marchetti-Ladies' Chorus. Dream One Dream of Me," Robyn, (accompanied by composer,)-Mrs. K. direction of the Herwood.

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(4) Questionings, Vannah, (b) Ave to be relieved of Maria, Gounod-Miss Beatrice Howard. the excluded an | Toreador song (Carmen), Bizet-Mr.

George Dunston. Il Pensa Alla Patria, Rossini-Miss (a) Peasant Wedding March, Goder-

minn (h) Good Night, Goldberg-Nellis two weeks from Lady Quartet. 1st soprano, Miss Howard; 2nd soprime, Miss Kraber; 1st alto, Miss er who they wart a Brewn; 2nd also, Miss Scruggs. The Storm (by request), Robyn-Prof.

MORE COUNTRY TEACHERS.

I ngaged for Next Year in Macon County

Since last report Superintendent J. G. Keller has received official notice from school boards of the engagement of teachers for next year for school as follows: Brush College-Apine Sweeney. Charitan-1. O. Melvin. Childs-J. E. Patterson. Davis—Mayme Chamberlain. Unterprise C C Walters. Hickory Point-H. A. Gaskell. Independence-Mabel Thrift.

Maroa-B. T. Fawcett, principal; Mrs. ue Danely, assistant; William Stoneriker, Agnes Compton, May Swan, Mary Alsbury, Fracia Hill, Kate L. Ed-

Middlesworth-Miss Johnston. Mound—D. J. Williams. Macon-W. E. Hedges, principal; Eln Chamberlain, Bernice Higgins, Ella

Parker-Mattle Carney. Oak Ridge-Mrs. M. B. Slater. Turnet-Lillian Stuart. Washington-Joseph Flynn. West Stringtown-Ada Elder. Willow Branch-Miss Johnston Rolling (Macon)-Elizabeth Schudel. Rolling (Illini)-Olive Lehew. Warrensburg-Charles Stark, Flora Minson, Bertha Albert,

Walnut Grove-Fannio Schrater. Another Cheap Excursion. The Illinois Central road will run a cheap excursion to Chicago on Saturday and Sunday, May 23 and 24. The fare

will be \$2 for the round trip. Cape Jessamines at Saxton's book

store.-18-3t



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BISHOPS ELECTED.

The M. E. Conference Names Two This Morning.

A Motion to Cease Further Balloting Was Declared to be Ridiculous and the Election Followed.

Methodist general conference this the riving Rev. C I. Stafford, of Iowa, sud a large number of members of the construct was opposed to the election of 11th Dishops and therefore he moved to pale that by postpone further balloting for . . . in fill that office. Dr. Buckly ego at the motion, declaring to stop not do dd be to make the conference partions If the conference deadlocked, whold no chance of election.

At a further debate the motion to postand it curteenth ballot was taken, resuring Cranston 201, McCabe 258, The attenth ballot was at once taken and four votes were cast, necessary to a that e on McCabe, New York, 314, (Lanstor 528, Buttz 112, Hamilton 109, Notes in A wild scene followed. The delignes rushed to where McCabe was sating and greeted him enthusiastically. In the fur lull a motion to invite "Bish op McCine' to the platform was carried with a saint. Dr. McCabe walked down the aist of aid enthusiastic hand clapping but he god to be excused from saying anything. Then the sixteenth ballot was The same number of votes were cast Cranston received 366, or thirty more than enough to elect, Buttz 82. Hamilton 36, Neeley 10. Another demonstration followed. Dr. Cranston walked forward and bowed acknowledgment.

The conference then took up the election of two book agents for New York. On the first vote Dr. Holer Eaton, of for book agents of the Cincinnati book concern. Ballot for second agent at New York and first at Cincinnati was then taken and the conference adjourned. The QUAY IGOING TO I CANTON, O. usult will be announced in the morning Mr Larl Cranston, elected bishop of the Methodist church today was born in Athers Ohio, 1840, and was educated there. He served as a soldier during the war and became captain of the Sixteenth Ohio Volunteers Since the war he served in conferences in Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Minnesota and Colorado until 1884, when he became one of the book agents

position he has held ever since. Di chas, C. McCabe, was born in Athens, Ohio, 1836. In 1862 he became he has been missionary secretary.

THE KANSAS CYCLONE.

latest Reports Show 28 Killed and Fifty Injured - Property Loss, One Million. har ... City, May 19 .- The estimates not a that twenty-eight were killed outingly fifty or more injured, some fatally The property loss is about a mill. n dol' irs and is the result of Sunday's Cylone in Marshall, Nemaha and Brown curios, Kansas. Details are still impater and even these figures may be intrue d. The dead are as follows: At Sin a Soneida 6, Reserve 5, Sabetha 5, M ii ll i Property loss at Seneca \$350,-"" Frankfort \$100,000; Reserve \$60,000, Smetha \$50,000, Morrill \$20,000.

Inpusands of dollars of damage was do in the country between these towns. All, a number of persons are left entirely destrute. Everywhere citizens organdang for the relief of the sufferers. Ap-10 1's for outside aid have been issued.

Prize Fight in Illinois. La nont, Ill., May 19 .- In a twentyr and contest early this morning between Jo Bertrand, of San Francisco, champion hand weight of the Pacific coast, and " the eighteenth round. McCall was the aggressor until after the seventeenth round when Bertrand swung both right and left in rapid succession, knocked Mc-Call out. Bertrand was terribly pun-

Minister Taylor Will Not Leave Madrid. Mudrid, May 19.—The fact that United States Minister Taylor has arrunged to send his household effects to New Orleans led to the report that he was an art to leave Madrid. It is stated, however this is not the case. His family is ally fairtonight and Wednesday cooler returning to the United States and he Will reside at the legation.

Iron and Steel Workers Meet. Detr it, May 19,-The Amalgamated description of iron and steel workers of America, met in annual session today All the morning session was occupied with the selection of committees and pre liminary routine. Report of officers will he read tomorrow. The wage committee will report Thursday.

THE IOWA DEMOCRATS FIREMEN KILLED.

Will Endorse Boies and Free Silver. Dubuque, Iowa, May 19.—The Democratic state convention will meet at 10 o'clock tomorrow. A majority of the delegates have already arrived and have peen in caucus on preliminaries. The ELECTED ARE M'CABE AND CRANSTON state committee decided on S. S. Wright, of Tipton, for temporary chairman, but the silver men are talking of a change or account of the objectionable features of his intended speech. Should they refuse to endorse the committee's choice, E. M. Carr, of Manchester, will be selected. He may also be made permanent fehairman Resolutions will be for Boies for presi dent and uncompromisingly for free sil ver at 16 to 1. The silver men claim an even hundred majority of nine hundred and forty-seven delegates.

BANK OFFICIALS INDICTED.

The Federal Grand Jury at Denver, Col. Investigating the Bank Suspen-

Denver, May 19.—The federal grand jury has found a number of indictments o'clock the district was visited by one the ensequences would fall on the heads against bank officials and others accused of the most terrific thunderstorms in of it who insisted on voting for those of having conspired to defraud depositors years and it is thought lightning, in the banks here which failed during the past three years. John J. Reithmann, the election of bishops was defeated junior and senior, president and vice president; Charles M. Clinton, eashier, and Charles KunzeimHer, assistant cash-Hamilton 119, Buttz 123, Neeley 112, jier of the German National bank, are and D streets. charged with having falsified the figures with he following result: Five hundred in the report to the comptroller of the condition of that institution in May, 1893. It is also announced that O. E. Commercial National bank in a conspiracy with Charles H. Dow, its president.

> A RIOT IN MEXICO. Cuban Sympathizers Attack a Spanish Manufacturer, Which Results

City of Mexico, May 19.—Sympathy for Cuba and hatred for the Spaniards among the lower classes here was the cause of a riot last night. A drunken man passing a factory made an offensive demonstration against the owner, a Spaniard. The lat-out and removed to the Providence hospital. ter, thinking the man was about to draw

a knife, hit him. A mob gathered, shouting "death to Spaniards," and 'Cuba Libre' they then began to stone the factory smashing the windows, when rived and the mob stoned them, wounddispersed and a number were arrested.

He Say, He is Going to Talk Over the Fi-

Washington, May 19.-Senator Quay said today if his sonatorial duties would permit, he was going home and from over the financial question.

Hunter's Fight with a Flock of Craues. at the book concern in Cincinnati, which Newman, of Decker, this county, was out hunting yesterday he had a desperate the unfortunate firemen. in the of the 122d Ohio Volunteers. fight with a flock of cranes. He had shot In 18 at Winchester, Va., he was cap- and wounded one crane, and attempted to treea and taken to Libby prison and was capture it alive. The wounded bird turnteleas I after four months. Afterward ed upon him and fought him furiously. saspaker and a singer he became fa- The tall bird struck him with its beak more throughout the north through his and tried to peck out his eyes. His feathhan on the church extension. Since 1881 ance, and all surrounded the frightened hunter, who was placed upon the defensive. He clubbed the cranes with his gun and finally succeeded in killing thirteen clothes and his face and head bleeding in

a score of places.

Robbed Her Own Home. Atlantic City, N. J., May 19.-Mrs. Ida Ludlam, wife of a respected business man, and daughter of one of the most prominent families in the city, has confessed that she had long been robbing her own home. Mr. Ludlam reported to the police two weeks ago that his house was being systematically robbed. A private letective was employed, and a servant was arrested, but proved her innocence. The robberies continued. Night after night the detective watched the house from within and without, and, while the robberies continued, they were unable to gain even a trace of the thief. Finally they were forced to the conclusion that Mrs. Ludiam was herself the thief, and, securing a photograph of her, they made a tour of all the stores in the city dealing in second hand goods. In one store they found Mrs. Ludlam's missing watch Blurney McCall, champion of Canada, and the store keeper at once identified Bestrand won, knocking his opponent out Mrs. Ludlam's picture as that of the per son who had sold him the timepiece Other stolen articles were found in the same establishment. When confronted Mrs. Ludlam broke down completely, and confessed, giving a full list of the articles stolen, and telling where they had been disposed of. The money received for the stolen goods she had spent upon herself, she said. Ludlam, while declining to prosecute her, left her at once.

Weather This Afternoon and Wednesday Chicago, Ill., May 19.—Illinois: Gener-South variable winds tonight.

Iowa:-Fair tonight and Wednesday northerly winds. South Dakota:-Partly cloudy with local rains tonight and Wednesday; winds mostly easterly.

Taken From Jail and Lynched New Orleans, La., May 19.-Last night James Dazzele, colored, was taken from jail in St. Bernard parish and lynched, for tempting to outrage a white woman.

Caught in the Collapse of a Burn-

Known to be Under the Burning Ruins and Many Missing-The National Capital Visited by a Destructive Conflagration.

TWO DEAD, SEVERAL FATALLY HURT,

WASHINGTON, May 19. -- Fire swept way a whole block of commercial buildings opposite the Smithsonian institution soon after 8:30 last evening. The lives of at least three firemen were crushed out by falling walls. The loss will exceed \$200,000.

The buildings covering the block adjoining the Center market, consti tute practically the entire commercial and wholesale produce business of postal telegraph substation and started the flames which rapidly spread through the highly inflammaole materials in the stores fronting on Louisiana avenue. Ninth and Tenth

In a few minutes, under general alarm orders, the entire fire department commenced its efforts to check the fire's spread, but exploding barreis of kerosene and gasoline drove Miller of Chicago, is indicted on the them off and led them to direct their charge of embezzling \$125,000 from the energies to preventing the flames from crossing the streets to the neighboring squares.

While the firemen of No. 8 engine were working a hose through one of the old buildings, the roof fell without warning, burying them in the The wrecked building at once began burning furiously and any attempt at rescue was beyond question. Not until an hour later had the flames sufficiently subsided at this point for the firemen to begin removing the debris. Then three men, Soe Mulhall, Donaldson and Kennedy were taken

Later information is to the effect that Firemen Giles and Griffin 'are dead and that Firemen Mulhall, Mc-Elroy, Keepler and Kennedy are dangerously and perhaps fatally injured. resulting nominations had been made the police under General Carbellada ar- Four others are known to be in the ing the general. The mob was finally and search is being continued into the night for them. This fire is one of the worst calami-

ties that has ever visited Washington and is the only one of the kind since the notorious Knox fire about two

The buildings that were burned were comparatively of small value, though quite a whole block of them were swept out of existence. The thence to Canton, Ohio. When asked full extent of the terrible calamities what this visit meant he replied it meant that attended the conflagration was nothing. He was going to Canton to talk not known until a late hour, and the neighborhood surrounding the scene was thronge lup to a long time after midnight with excited and sympa-Vincennes, Ind., May 19.—While Allen thizing groups of citizens, many whom were friends and neighbors of

SAVED FROM MOTHS,

But Consigned to Flames, Accompanied by Human Sacrifices.

PHILADELPHIA, May 19.-An explosion of benzine in the three-story dwelling house at 2013 Twelfth street off are in behalf of the Christian commis- ered antagonist made such an outcry that last evening badly wrecked the house, on For sixteen years he labored in be- the rest of the flock returned to the assist- setting it on fire, and fatally burning Miss Rosa Gragg, aged 21 years. Mrs S. B. Bently and her daughter Sadie,

The house was occupied by Mrs. Bentley and her daughter, and they of them before he won the battle. Mr. had intended to close it and go to the Newman was completely exhausted, this country this merning for the summer. As a precaution against moths, Mrs. Bentley had sprinkled benzine upon the carpets and parlor furniture.

A DISASTROUS FIRE

In the Residence Portion of Nahant Lonfellow's Cottage Destroyed. LYNN, Mass., May 19.—The residence

portion of the town of Nahant was vesterday the scene of a disastrous fire which destroyed five valuable summer residences causing a property loss approximating \$100,000. Among hose destroyed was the Longfellow cottage, where the poet spent his sum mers for many years and where the "Bells of Lynn" was composed and written.

ADJUSTING THE BOUNDARIES. Report of Commission Approved-Time

for Compliance Extended. WASHINGTON, May 19.—The report of the commission appointed to locate the boundary line between Indiana and Kentucky opposite the mouth of the Green river was confirmed in the supreme court yesterday. The case will retained on the docket until the line is marked by stone posts. In this

appointed for that purpose was ex-tended by the court until July 1 next.

GATHERING IN MOSCOW From all Parts of the World to Witne

Moscow, May 19.-Distinguished persons from all parts of the world are Press there tomorrow. arriving hourly to witness the ceremonies attending the coronation of the ezar. Li Hung Chang, the representative of the emperor o lrrge and brilliant suite, arrived here yesterday and was received at the station with great enthusiasm. Among Yamagata, representing the emperor

Mrs. Esther Parks died at Champaign.

NOTICE SERVED ON THE A. P. A.

That Catholics Will Rally to the Support of the Party Which Opposes the Order. WASHINGTON, May 19.-Rev. Dr. Stafford, of St. Patrick's church this city, a prominent republican, who held a foreign mission under President Harrison, addressed several questions to Cardinal Gibbons relative to the recent denials of religious liberty and attacks of the A. P. A. on the Catholic

church of the country.

The cardinal sent the following re-

BALTIMORE, May 17, 1896. MY DEAR SIR: "It is the duty of the leaders of political parties to express themselves without any equivocation on the principles of religious freedom which underlie our constitution. Catholics are devoted to both the great political parties of the country and each individual is left entirely to his own conscience. We are proud to say that in the long history of the government of the United States the great Catholic church has not used or erverted its acknowledged power by seeking to make politics subserve its

own advancement. Moreover, it is our proud boast that we have not interfered with the civil and political rights of any who differ from us in religion. We demand the same rights for ourselves, and nothing more, and will be content with noth

Not only is it the duty of all parties distinctly to set their faces against the false and unamerican principles thrust would regret the entire idenlification of any religious body, as such, with any political party. I am convinced that the members of religious body whose rights, civil and eligious, are attacked, will naturally and unanimously espouse the cause of the party which has the courage openly to avow the principles of the civil and religious liberty according to the constitution. Patience is a virtue: but it is not the only virtue. When pushed too far it may degenerate into pusillanimity. Yours, faithfully,

JAMES, CARDINAL GIBBONS,

for McKinley. HARTFORD, Conn., May 19 .- Ex-Gov Bulkley, who heads Connecticut's delegation to the St. Louis convention. said yesterday that he believed that when the state delegates were elected at New Haven they stood seven for McKinley to five for Reed. He hoped. however, to have all the delegates for McKinley before they reach St. Louis. Connecticut, he said, would be the first northern state to vote at the roll call, and he felt confident that her 12 votes would be cast for McKinley. He was sure that the Ohio man would be nominated on the first ballot.

DREADFUL FOREST FIRES veeping Everything Before Them-Flee

ing for Life. PARKERSBURG, W. Va., May 18 .-Forest fires in the vicinity of Davis have been raging more than fifty hours, and now more furiously than ever, despite the efforts of hundreds of men to subdue them. The losses to lumber interests exceed half a million dollars. The middle forest tract is completely wiped out and indications are that the entire country, including towns and villages, will be destroyed unless rain prevents. Families are fleeing from their mountain homes, heat. Most of the burned tract is the property of Mattie McClure, of Pitts-

burgh. Half of the Fruit Crop Destroyed. DETROIT, Mich., May 9 .-- Reports from many sections of Michigan show that the wind storm which swept over the state Sunday did much damage, especially to fruit trees. In Shiawasse ounty it is estimated that half of the fruit crop was destroyed. Shade trees uffered severely, and in some intances buildings were unroofed. Only one person was injured so far as frame of a new hotel blew down, and Ierman Wend was severely injured

cond Positive Identification of the Same Body.
New York, May 19.—J. Kantrowitz, lawyer, of 335 Broadway, went to he morgue yesterday and positively identified the body of the hotel suicide as that of Mrs. E. E. Hill, laughter-in-law of Lawyer Ralph Hill, of Indianapolis. This is the sec ond positive identification of the body in as many days. Kantrowitz says the woman's husband is in London.

Presented at the Queen's Drawingroom London, May 19.-Mrs. Bayard, wife of the United States ambassador, preented Mrs. Calvin S. Brice, wife of United States Senator Brice, and the Misses Brice and Mrs. Douglas Grant at the drawingroom held yesterday by the Princess of Wates in behalf of the queen. After the drawingroom Ambassador Bayard and Mrs. Bayard held a reception at their residence.

An Absconding Embezzler. PHILADELPHIA, May 19.—The Evening Telegraph states that Thomas M case the jurisdiction of Kentucky was Carlin, an attorney who had offices in extended over the Ohio river to the the Girard building, has mysteriously low water line on the northern bank. disappeared, leaving a large number The time within which that part of of creditors. Several warrants have the boundary line between Iowa and been sworn out by the victims for his Missouri which has been in dispute arrest. It is stated that unsecured may be marked by the commisioners claims against Cartin amount to \$50,-

> Associated Press Banquet. New York, May 19.-Many leading ewpsaper men of the Atlanta coast left today for Chicago to attend the annual meeting and banquet of the Associated

Hanged at Murphysboro Murpheysboro, Ill., May 19.-John D Jones, who stamped to death Mrs. Mendenhall at the Anna, Ill., fair last fall, was hanged here in the court house yard other arrivals was Field Marshal today. He professed repentance.

Archduke Charles Louis Dead. Vienna, May 19.—Arch Duke Charles Louis, eldest brother of Emperor Francis Joseph, died today, aged 54.

THE DEADLY CYCLONE

Spreads Death and Destruction in Nebraska.

SEVERAL TOWNS TORN AND WRECKED.

Harrowing Details of Damage Wrought Added to by Hourly Reports from Surrounding Localities -- A Town Wiped Off the Earth.

FALLS CITY, Neb., May 18.-A cyclone visited this section about nine clock last night and swept every thing in its path, killing a number of people and leaving dozens seriously injured. It touched the extreme southern portion of this place, tearing the canning factory, unroofing both the Missouri Pacific and Burlington depots and turned over 30 freight cars, in one of which was a tramp, who was scriously hurt.

Hinton's park, which yesterday was one of the most picturesque spots in the city, is to-day but a mass of up-rooted trees, while not a single building is left standing.

Brockhahn's brewery, which was ocated across the Nemaha river from the park, is a total wreck. William Hinton's house was torn to atoms, and both Mr. and Mrs. Hinton

were badly hurt.

The house of L. Knickerbocker, near the park entrance is all but

Hail fell as large as hens eggs doing great damage to property and breakng nearly every window in the city. The cyclone seems to have followed the river for a distance of a mile and

then took a southerly course. tween this city and the Kansas line, a distance of four miles, there were eight houses blown down. Those known to be dead are: Mrs. Dan Saylor, Miss Schock, eight-year-old boy named Holck, Mrs. William Brannan. Mr. and Mrs. Rhodes are among the injured and cannot recover. Reserve, a town of 300 people, seven

ngs were left standing and they were noved from their foundations. people were killed and 20 wounded, 12 The school house, one of the more fortunate buildings, has been turned into a hospital and the injured are be-

miles southeast of here, was literally

wiped off the earth. But three build-

ounding towns. It is impossible to give an estimate of the damage in the vicinity of Falls City. Reports come in every hour houses and buildings destroyed. The growing crops were pounded into the earth, and will have to be replanted. The damage to fruit trees is very

JUDICIAL SARCASM

ing a State Court Decision.

Indulged in by Mr. Justice Gray in Afilrm-WASHINGTON, May 19 .- In announce ing the judgment and opinion of the supreme court of the United States vesterday upon the case of the Western Telegraph Co. vs. Thomas Taggart, auditor of Marion county, Ind .. et al., Mr. Justice Gray waxed somewhat sarcastic. The matter at issue was the validity of the Indiana tax requiring railroads of the state to prolaw of 1891, relating to corporations, which had been sustained in the state courts, from whose judgment the tele-

graph company appealed. Justice Gray said this was one of the cases which annually came before the court, brought by some corporation which felt itself constitutionally aggrieved. The court, he said, was asked in the appeal to modify or overrule decisions in substantially similar cases, relating to the tax laws of states, brought to the supreme court of the United States, some of them by the same corporation. Without going into earned. At Point Au Barques the the reasons of the action of the court, he said, the judgment of the Indiana

supreme court would be affirmed. FUNERAL SERVICES

Over the Remains of the Slayer of Col. Alonzo Slayback. NEW YORK, May 19.—The funeral services over the remains of the late Col. Cockerill began yesterday morning, when the remains were taken from the rooms of the Press club to the Scottish Rite hall, where they were formally turned over to the New York lodge of Elks. Joseph Howard, Jr., president of the Press club, made a brief address in consigning the body to the care of the Elks, and there was singing by both a male and female lted ruler, then delivered the eulogy. hen proceeded with, after which the body was taken to the Calvary Bapces and the Masonic ritual were gone

through with. THE NATIONAL GAME.

sults of Games Played Yesterday by League and Association Teams. NATIONAL LEAGUE.

At St Louis-Bostons, 3; St. Louis, 2, At Cincinnati -Cincinnatis, 9; Philadel-phias, 4. At Cleveland-Clevelands. 4: Baltimores, 3. At Chicago-Chicagos, 15; New Yorks, 3. At Louisville-Washingtons,5; Louisvilles.3 WESTERN LEAGUE. At St. Paul-St. Pauls, 22: Columbus, 10 At Milwaukee-Milwaukees, 8; Grand Rap-

At Kansas City-Indianapolis, 4: Kansas Game call on account of rain, sixth WESTERN ASSOCIATION. At St. Joseph-Burlingtons, 8, St Josephs,

At Dubuque-Dubuques, 19; Rockfords, 2. Cricket in England LONDON, May 18 .- In the cricket nach at Sydenham yesterday between the English team and the Australian

leven the first inning resulted in the

Englishmen scoring 114 and the Aus-

Children and matches were the cause

tralians 108 for four wicket.

TELEGRAPHIC NOTES.

-The comptroller of the currency has declared a dividend of 20 per cent in favor of the creditors of the North | The Highest Judicial Authority in Platte national bank of North Platte

-H. Solomon, a Tampa (Fla.) merchant, was assassinated Saturday night by some one who shot through the rear door while he was waiting on a customer.

-The boiler of Strawburg's mill at

Hoffman, N. C., exploded and instantly killed three negro employes and wounded another. The sawmill was entirely demolished. -The senate committee on the judiciary ordered a favorable report on the nomination of Judge Lochren to succeed Judge Nelson as United States

district judge for Minnesota. -The Japanese minister of marine by the command of the emperor, will soon formally prefer a request for the admission of eight young noblemen to relating to the redemption of property the United States naval academy.

-Paul Mitchell, founder and heart failure, Mr. Mitchell was born in Wheeling, W. Va., 47 years ago.

-The Central opera house, the American house and the residence of law, could dispose of that additional Wm, Ralston, M. McDermott and John entry of other property. Norman, and several barns at Dubois, Pa., were yesterday destroyed by fire. Total loss, \$20,000; partially insured.

--The seventieth anniversary of the Congregational Home Missionary society will open at New Haven, Conn., June 2, and continue two days. This will be the first meeting in the history of the society to be held in New England.

-A dispatch from Havana says the funds at the disposal of Gen. Weyler are very nearly exhausted, and he is finding it a hard matter to obtain credit, as the merchants who furnished the troops with goods during the last war were never paid. -The Princess of Wales held a draw-

Buckingham palace yesterday. duchess of Marlborough, formerly Miss Vanderbilt, of New York, was presented by her mother-in-law, the marchioness of Blandford. -Young Alexander shot and killed Hiss Hazard, a domestic in the employ of Rev. Mr. Dawes, of Barnstable,

Mass., Sunday, and was so hotly pur

ingroom on behalf of the queen at

sued after the murder that he committed suicide by shooting. L-The house committee on banking and currency has adjourned until December next. During this session a number of measures looking to changes ing cared for by physicians from surin the banking and currency laws were considered, but no agreement

was reached on any of them.

-E. Bement & Sons, of Lansing, Mich., who operate one of the largest implement and stove manufacturing concerns in the world, yesterday filed two trust deeds aggregating \$300,000 to secure their creditors. The deeds overs property valued at \$600,000.

-The Venezuelan government has agreed to pay the £1,600 demanded by ireat Britain for the Uruan incidentthe arrest and imprisonment of British police officers—on condition that it considered simply as indemnity for personal damages, and not as affecting the boundary dispute. -The supreme court of the United

States, in an opinion read by Justice

Brown, yesterday, sustained the con-

vide separate cars for white and colored passengers. Mr. Justice Harlan announced a very vigorous dissent. -M. Paul Loyson, who was married at Neuilly, France, on May 16 to Miss Laura Brickwell, of Philadelphia, has requested the United Press to contradict the reports which have been pub-

Hvacinthe), is about to marry again. CHINESE INTERLOPERS

lished in American newspapers that

his father, M. Charles Loyson (Pere

May be Deported, but it Must be Done b

Accordance with Law. WASHINGTON, May 18. - The fourth section of the Chinese exclusion act of 1892 was construed by the supreme court yesterday, the opinion being read by Justice Shiras. The question involved was whether or not a Chinese person, adjudged not entitled to be within the limits of the United States. may be sentenced to imprisonment for one year at hard labor and at the expiration of that limit deported by a

United States steamer, or whether it must be done in accordance with law. Wing Wang and other Chinese ar rested in Michigan under the law were thus sentenced by the United States commissioner before whom they were examined, and they appealed to the quartette. E. B. Hay, past grand ex- federal court for the eastern district of Michigan for release on writs of The ceremony of the Amaranth and habeas corpus. The court refused to Ivy and the usual Elk ceremony was to release them and they came to the supreme court. Justice Shiras said The chamber refused Sig. Cavallot-they could not be disposed of in that ti's demands, and adopted a motion. tist church, where the religious serv- manner, and the judgment of the circuit court was reversed without prejudice to the right to hold and deport at least that it should not be taken the appellants in accordance with the

Nominations Confirmed.

WASHINGTON, May 19 .- The senate nominations: William Lochran, of Minnesota, to

e United States district judge for the district of Minnesota, vice R. R. Nelson, resigned. Robert Lee Jenkins, of North Carolina, United States consul at Vatras,

Robert Ransom, of North Carolina, to be second secretary of the legation to Mexico.

The Mining Village of Shorrard, Ill., Visited by a Cyclouc ROCK ISLAND, Ill., May 19.-Word eached here vesterday that a cyclone struck the mining village of Sherrard, near here, Saturday night, killing Morris Evans and destroying the Congregational church and several resi-

The town board of Illiopolis has taken action looking to the protection of the village from fire.

THE SUPREME COURT.

the Land.

PASSES UPON SEVERAL QUESTIONS.

A Homeste ader's Right to Sell Affirmed -Dismissed-Decision Affirmed in the Bob Talton Case - Triumph for the Illinois Central.

WASHINGTON, May 19-In the supreme court yesterday the following ases, among others, were disposed of: Martha Barnitz vs John L. Beverly. from the supreme court of Kansas. This case presented for decision the constitutionality of a law of Kansas sold under execution. The judgment

of the court was reversed. isher of Hardware, died at his resi- Alfred F. Webster vs. Milo J. Luther lence in Washington city, Sunday, of et al. This case involved the question whether or not a homesteader under tional entry of land under subsequent said, in an opinion read by Mr. Justice Harlan, that it was the intention of congress to give the additional land to the homesteader for him to dispose

> of as he pleased. The United States vs. Board of Commissioners of Muskingum county, O. The commissioners had constructed a bridge over the Muskingum river in that county which the secretary of war believed to be an obstruction to navigation. He ordered its removal, but the commissioners refused to comply, and proceedings were begun in the federal courts to enforce the secretary's order. The judges of the circuit court disagreeing, they certified to the supreme court for answers to certain questions. The chief justice announced, after a review of the law regulating the procedure in such cases, that the question could not be raised by certificate, and it was dis-

Bob Talton vs. Wash Moyes, high sheriff of the Cherokee nation. Tal-ton was convicted of murder by the Indian court and sentenced to death. He applied to Judge Parker of the United States court for the western listrict of Arkansas for release on writ of habeas corpus on the ground that the proceedings in his case were irregular. Judge Parker declined to issue the writ and the supreme court

affirmed his decision. The Illinois Central Railroad Co. was triumphant in the supreme court yesterday in a rather singular litigation with the state of Illinois. There is state law which requires every railroad passenger train to stop at county seats within the state. The railroad company operates a line of road from Chicago to New Orleans which passes Cairo at a point three and a half miles distant from the station in that city. Proceedings were begun in relation of the state to compel the railroad company to run the fast mail train into the city under the provisions of the county seat law, and the supreme court of the state decided that it must do so. The company appealed to the supreme court and Justice Gray announced the opinion of the court to the effect that stitutionality of the law of Louisiana the company need not run the mail he state law song railroad company to make this unnecessary trip of s ven miles by a

> tional and void. The jadgment of the state supreme court was reversed.

DEMANDS DENIED. he Italian Chamber of Deputies Refuse

through mail train, it was unconstitu-

to Table the Lapers of Impeachment of Sig. Crispi. ROME, May 19 - In the chamber of deputies yesterda, Sig Cavalotti demanded that the papers bearing upon his impeachment of Sec Cispi, late prime minister, for the recent disasters in the campaign in Abyssinia be

tabled. Sig. Costa, minister of justice, deposited on the table of the chamber the judge's decree ruling non-heaf in the matter of some of the charges, and incompetence as to others Sy Costa said that the documen's relating to the decree ought to remain secret, and expressed the desire of the government do terminate all recrimination

of the past. A scene of excitement ensued. Sig. Cavallotti justified the conduct of the radicals in the Litter, and insisted that a date be fixed for demal on his motion. He de an ted also that the same procedure be observed in this case as was pursued by the Crispi government in regard to Sig Golotti, former premier and minister of the in-

terior. The chamber refused Sig. Cavallotoffered by Premier Rudini proposing to postpone the discussion indefinitely, up until after the discussion of the

Accepts the Honor. DETROIT, Mich., May 19.—Hon. Rexyesterday confirmed the following ter M. Ferry, of this city, who was elected chairman of the state central committee at the republican state convention held in this city recently, announces his acceptance of the posi-tion. Mr. Ferry was out of the city when the convention was held and there were doubts as to his acceptance

An Appeal in Behalf of Drought Suf-

New York, May 19.-Pishop Hennessy, of Wichita, Kan., made an appeal in St. Patrick's cathedral Sunday n behalf of his impoverished diocese. The bishop, who is an eloquent speak. er, showed the havoe drought had made among his flock, who are mostly farmers, and earnestly prayed for assistance. His appeal was met with ready response and a goodly sum was

The wife of Hon. Robert S. Carter, of Petersburg, is dead.

Oaily Republican of conventions and elections. But they are by no means always accurate in their

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Delegates at Large. Richard J. Oglesby William Penn Nixon.

Alternates. T. Chapman. Johnson county Jordan Chavis.....Quincy CONGRESSIONAL TICKET.

17th District. ...JAMES A. CONNOLLY

but still McKinley has enough delegates to nominate him on the first ballot. The Illinois Republican Editorial asso ciation meets in annual session in Peoria

Platt and Quay have had a conference

May 25 and 26. The indications now are that the Demcerats intend to put up some kind of a by the people.

The fact that William McKinley was hung in effigy in England in 1890 has not yet been sprung against him by Platt and

The country has the satisfaction of knowing that Dr. Parkhurst has said worse things about Platt than Platt has said about McKinley.

The allied bosses would give a good deal to see as warm a time in St. Louis balloting for president as the Methodists are having balloting for a bishop.

The supreme court of the United States has just decided that the act requiring the railroads in Texas to run cars to be used exclusively for negroes is constitutional and it also decided that the law in Georgia prohibiting the running of freight trains on Sunday is constitutional. This indicates that the supreme court is not at all clear as to where the southern hatred of the African race ends and where their

Lincoln and Pickett.

The strory told by the wife of the late onfederate General Pickett, who led the effect that Abraham Lincoln was instrunental in securing his appointment to West Point is another of these marvellous dispensations which mystifles the average man. Pickett was a Virginian and went with his state when it seceded from the Union in spite of the fact that Abraham Lincoln who had just been inaugurated president was his benefactor and had just uttered these famous words to the south: "In your hands, my dissatisfied tellowcountrymen, and not mine is the momentous issues of civil war. The government will not assail you. You can have no conflict without being yourselves the aggressors. You have on oath registered in heaven to destroy the government; meetings: while I shall have the most solemn one to preserve, protect, and defend it." Unmiudful of his oath Pickett went into the rebel army to destroy the government and led the famous charge at Gettysburg and

rebel army to destroy the government and led the famous charge at Gettysburg and subsequently upon the same ground Abraham Lincoln made the wonderful address dedicating the ground to the uses of a national cemetery for the loyal soldiers who fell in that great engagement. Speaking of a letter now in her possession written to young Plekett in 1842 when he entered the military school, written by Abraham Lincoln, Mrs. Pickett says:

"I have before me a letter from Mr. Lincoln, dated February 29, 1842, Springfield, Ill., which, though a private letter, be-peaks his superlative greatness, his accurate perception, and the bent, even at that early period, of his wonderfully penetrating mind. "I have just told the folks here in Springfield," he said, "on this, the loth anniversary of the birth of him whose name, mightiest in the cause of civil liberty—still mightiest in the cause of moral reformation—we mention in sol-moral and sunday. One fare round trip. Sell July 2. Jolet, account Populist National Convention and National Silver Convention. One fare round trip. Sell July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell May 18. July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell May 18. July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell May 18. July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell July 4. July 2. Jolet, account German Catholic Societies of Illinois. One and one-third fare round trip. Sell July 4. July 2. July 2. July 3. Sell May 18. July 3. July 3. Sell May 18. J of moral reformation—we mention in solnn awe, in naked, deathless splendor: that the only victory that we can ever all complete will be that one which proclaims that there is not one slave or one drunkard on the face of God's green gth., Recruit for this victory." At close of the letter he said: "Now. hoy, on your march, don't you go and forget the old maxim that one drop of honey catches more flies than a thousand callons of gall.' Load your musket with the maxim and smoke it in your pipe."

The Mistakes of Politicians. The St. Louis Globe-Democrat: The politicians pride themselves upon their seamed expertness in detecting the drift of public opinion. They make it their to study the signs, to analyze

About a_ servations and predictions. Their boasted sagacity is frequently turned to mockery, and their well-laid plans frustrated by influences that they have failed to perceive. A striking illustration of this fact is now presented in the case of the contest for the Republican nomination for the Gas Range. presidency. At the start, certain politicians particularly noted for their shrewd ness made up their minds that there was no pronounced sentiment in the country for any one man, and that they could accordingly dictate the nomination by strat egy and manipulation. They were per

not yet crystallized, as they call it, and that they could readily make themselves masters of the situation. To their great Cheaper Fuel astonishment, however, they soon discov ered that they were mistaken. Surprise J. R. McCullough after surprise came to emphasize the fact that their supposed astuteness had fooled that Gasoline then, and that what they had taken to be public indifference was really a well-defined and controlling preference and deat 11c

feetly confident that popular opinion had

It is easy now to see that the contest

was practically decided before a single

existence and merely waiting for an op

portunity of expression; and yet the most watchful and experienced of our politi-

cians did not know anything about it.

They proceeded in absolute ignorance of

the true drift of public opinion. The in-

formation upon which they relied was

wholly misleading, and they were con-

fronted at every step by the unexpected. It is uscless, of course, for them to claim

that this irresistible sentiment has been

generated by artificial means since the

beginning of the contest. That would be

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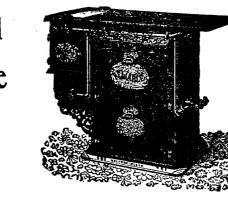
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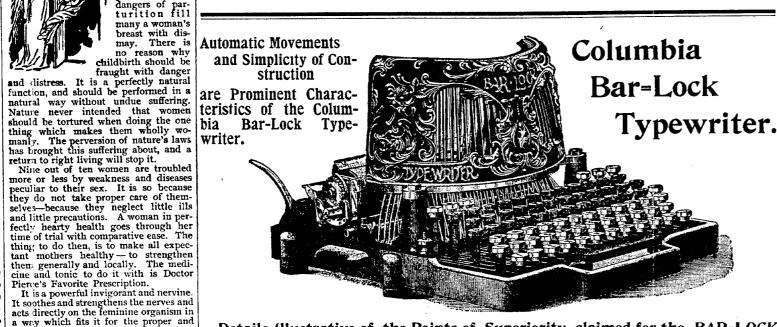
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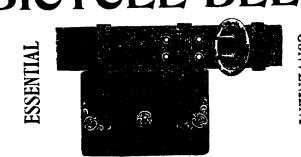
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That's Nobby and Swell

fine class of custom that comes to Ehr- unknown. He left between two days. man's couldn't wear it very well. No tailor made clothing in Decatur gives as the mine will shut down in about structed to bring East avenue to grade such a distinguished air, for they are forty days to sink an air shaft. mestic material, culled with the taste of a connoisseur, and the styles are electric storm yesterday morning between what the Prince of styles has laid his three and four o'clock and considerable from \$3 and \$5 to \$1 and \$3, came up

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TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1896. LOCAL NEWS.

Hi Henry minstrels tonight.

Go to Henry Bros. bakery for all kinds f cakes, ples, etc. Whitley handles none of the inferior

Denz, Tailor, 117 North Water St.

75c excursion to Peoria over P., D. & E. next Sunday.—19-5t Dr. H. P. Bachman, dentist rooms

and 9, in Temple block. Enough hail fell last evening before dark to whiten the streets.

Sleeth is the only photographer in the city who guarantees satisfaction. R. V. Mallory, representing the Chi

cago Record, was in the city today. The Grand Opera House cigars made by Johnny Weigand are the best in town. mchi25-dtf

BEST Imported Cement for Sidewalks; warranted. Decatur Rock Plaster Co., new 'phone 528.

L. V. Lyon returned from Springfield last night at 10:10. The Freeman Bros.' shoe store is now

goods, low prices. Call. -30d-tf The wife of T. M. Wells, formerly a Decatur photographer, died a few days

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR Rubber tires for surreys and buggles. George S. Durfee & Bro., 158 South Water street.-11-dtf

You will find the Little Rose and Bouquet eigars the best for the money. Lowney's first-class chocolates World's Premium box candies are handled

exclusively by Whitley.

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. Excursion to Peoria next Sunday over P., D. & E. railway. Train leaves at 7:30 i. m. Only 75c round trip.—19-t5

Select one of those famous Haines or Reed & Son's pianos at the C. B. Presett music house. They are the favor The personnel of the Hi Henry Minstrel

company includes such well known names as Arthur Deming, Frand McNish and J. Marcus Doyle. The Buyers and Merchants' Benefit Bureau saves you 4 per cent on your en-

ager, L. Chodat, and learn how. The Wabash earnings for the second week in May amounted to \$215,946, a de crease of \$4,742 compared with 1895, in crease for the month to date, \$5,752.

The first part of Hi Henry's minstrel attraction, which is a faithful copy of the ideal Moorish palace of the World's Fair, is a marvel of beauty and bewildering at-Grand cheap excursion to Peoria over

Only 75c round trip. Tickets on sale at Morgan. Referred to sidewalk and cro Union depot and at city office on Saturday night.-19-5t Mrs. M. E. Kennelly and children de-

sire to thank their friends and neighbors ferred to water and light committee. for favors extended and sympathy expressed during the illness and death of their nother and grandmother, Mrs. Bowman

The Wabash has just turned an engine ut of the Fort Wayne shops which has had the covers taken off the driving wheels, so that in case of a broken spring the machinist can more readily repair it. The change will be made on all the Wa-The heavy fall of hail during the storm

last evening caused a number of teams

to run away. The Hamman Bros., Young Bros. & Maris Co. team and a horse belonging to J. H. Eppler took acin ice wagon and the horse broke away. No better soft coal in this market than Lincoln or Riverton. Buy it of M. F. Metz Personally he can be found at the yard office, 800 North Broadway. For Broadway office, Old Phone 435; New Phone 435. Also leave orders with T. W. Cann 628 North Main or with Harry Metz at King & Metz' drug store. Hard

Moweaqua News. Henry Hays was a Decatur visitor last J. D. Long is contemplating a trip to

Moweaqua is badly in need of a street

impassable. The city dads are having a stand still. The infant son of Mr. and Mrs. John

Boyer is dangerously ill with lung fever. Sherman Rutherford has left for parts dorado street from Morgan to Front. A great many coal miners are leaving

rain fell afterwards. Leading Merchant Tailors. Pastures are extra question of worthless dogs which were Dodd, who with his wife, was with his from the city spoiling father when he died.

Team for Patrol Wagon.

OAKLAND SEWER TO BE A GO. lost by a tie vote.

No Change in Dog Tax-Permission for the Road Race-Decatur Labor to be Employed.

There was a good deal of business be fore the meeting of the city council last evening. Among the most business was that of the Fairview sewer. The committee appointed to secure the right of way reported that it would be impossible to secure it without litigation and that it was not practical. The report was accept ed and the committee discharged City Engineer Burgess reported that it would not be well to build the sewer. A resolution was introduced and adopted that the sewer be run to the river by way of Oak-

To Repair the Streets. A resolution was introduced by Alder man Thayer that the street superintendent be ordered to repair the street pave ments. It is estimated that it will cost from \$1,500 to \$2,000 to put all the street n first class shape. The Road Race

Alderman Thayer introduced a resolu tion that the wheelmen be allowed to run

their road race on Decoration Day, May 30. The mayor expressed himself as being of the opinion that the city would be liable if anyone was hurt. The city at torney when asked for his opinion said that the council could not allow the wheelmen to violate an ordinance. Han kins said that the resolution was very in definite and that it did not even say that located at 150 Merchant street. Fine the race was to be run in the city. After some good natured talk when Alder man Thayer referred to the men who were allowed to race on Prairie avenue in the winter time, a vote was taken on the res olution and it was passed. To Employ City Labo

A petition which was signed by about 1.000 persons asked that the city counci use their influence in having Decatur men employed on all city contracts. By motion of Alderman DeWitt it was deployed as far as possible and that such a clause shall be put in the contracts.

About a dozen citizens asked that the sewer for the Fifth ward running from Jasper street east to the city limits in the alley on the north side of East Eldorado street be built at an early date. Referred to public improvement committee.

A petition was submitted asking that the portion of Boyd street north of Decatur street be vacated. Referred to side walk and crossing committee. J. R. Dougherty asked that his liquor

Eldorado street. Granted. A number of petitioners asked that ac tion be taken for the opening of Jackson street, from the south line of the Wabash tire living expenses. Call upon the manright of way to the south line of Central avenue. Laid on the table.

> ground and all others hauling dead animals through the city be compelled to keep them covered. Carried.

That Forest street from Haworth avenue west a distance of two blocks be Pantagraph. brought to grade. Referred.

That the street superintendent be instructed to notify T P. Matthews to move will give our twenty-ninth annual banthe P., D. & E. next Sunday, May 24. his fence from the street at 1453 North ing committee.

That a drop light be placed at the cor ner of Eldorado and Jasper streets. Re

That Henry Meyer be granted permission to build a cellar way on North Park street in front of his place of business. Referred to street and alley committee. That the street superintendent be in-

from William street to the Wabash rail road track. Adopted That the city marshal be instructed to notify owners of property on the west side of Hilton street to trim the hedge

fences Adopted. That some action be taken to put South Broadway from Wood to Lawrence street in a more passable condition, the street car tracks being in such a condition as to cept to the Eppler rig which collided with make it dangerous for vehicles to cross. That the street superintendent be in-

structed to make a ditch on Leafland avenue from North College to Monroe street and construct a culvert across Monroe street. Referred to sidewalk and crossing That G. W. Lyons be permitted to put , platform scale on West Green street

Referred to street and alley committee coal all sizes, always in stock at market with power to act. That a five-foot side walk be laid on the south side of Eldorado from Front street

to Short street. That the purchasing committee be au thorized to purchase 4,000 feet of lumber

for the use of the street superintendent. That the street superintendent be incommissioner as the crossings are almost structed to open a ditch and remove obstructions on West Marietta street to King dead lock and hence all business is at a street, between North Pine and Van Dyke streets. Adopted. That the street superintendent be instructed to repair the paving on East El-

> Laid on the table That the street suprintendent be infrom William street to the I., D. & W.

The backbone of the drought is broken right of way. Referred to the street and places in parade. The Dog License.

The ordinance to change the dog tax again on the second reading. A motion It is too wet to do any farming so the was made to put it on passage and Alderfarmers are having a vacation now. But man Thayer made a motion for an amendthey can well afford it as they have the ment to lay on the table but this was lost.

thought that the ordinance ought not to be repealed at once. Mr. Carter said that a dog would go mad just as easy whether Regular Meeting of the Council- it was licensed for \$1 or \$3 and he thought it was an imposition to charge \$3 for keeping a dog. A vote was then taken on the passage of the ordinance but was

> The city clerk, city treasurer and city ngineer made their annual reports. The clerk's report showed the following figures: Receipts, \$147,817; expenditures, \$128,781. The city engineer's report showed that during the year 1895, 1.83 niles of paving had been done.

Ordinances. An ordinance abolishing the license dis trict was laid on the table. The ordinance abolishing the office of

weights and measures was read and car-The question of the patrol wagon came

up again last night just before adjournment. After considerable discussion it was finally decided to buy two horses and a pole for the wagon. Alderman Johnson wanted a resolution made that another policeman be appointed to drive the ragon but the council adjourned at once

Reed Took an Appeal.

In Justice Provost's court yesterday afernoon Frank Reed, the editor of the Taylorville Daily Breeze, was on trial by ury for several hours for using profane anguage offensive to Gray & Gray, the ttorneys at law. The jury brought in a verdict of guilty and Reed was fined \$3 and costs. John Fitzgerald, with Gray & Gray, prosecuted the case, and Reed apthe foot of the stairway leading to the law office of the complaining witnesses, and the disturbance caused one of the brothers to make an effort to stop the noise. Reed was tipsy and resented the request and out of the altercation came the areest by Officer Shultze and the trial.

McClure's Magazine for June The Lincoln paper in this number ex nibits Lincoln (mainly by new reminisence and anecdote) as a father, friend, and term in congress. It is extremely interwho served as chaplain of Grant's own est also is a series of portraits of Mark of thirty years, and almost a circle round the globe in the variety of localities in J. Wilson, H. J. Woodworth, A. E. Waugwhich they were taken.

Arrangements for the Turner celebration in Bloomington, June 13, 14, 15 and rer, William Bartlette, R. L. Davidson 16, are progressing nicely. A long ban- J. C. Davidson, Phillip Glosser, Charles ner has been stretched across the street at the office of the chairman of the executive J. T. Scott, J. P. Smith, J. R. Smith committee, Mr. Dietrich, of the Journal. Isaac Travis, Lambant Timmons, J. R license be changed from 1162 to 1138 East Governor Altgeld has promised to be Wanacott, Wallace, Monroe Wilson. present on Monday and speak to the people at the fair grounds Big posters announcing the celebration were placed in Michael McAnnally, James McGaffey, the windows and in all the cities in Con- McDonald.

tral Illinois yesterday. Next Monday That the sexton of the city burying evening the classes that are to represent William Alsbury, Lafayette Helm, Wil-Bloomington will give an exhibition at liam Stewart, Frank Ray. Turner hall, after which there will be a ball. Bloomington is preparing to cap- Glore, Samuel Hopkins,. ture some of the prizes.—Bloomington

Notice to the Alumni.

The time is fast approaching when we quet, and of course, we are all very desirous of making the affair a huge success However, we cannot hope to accomplish a great deal without the hearty co-operation of a great number of the association. Now there are still a great many who

have failed to pay their dues. This assessment is only 25 cents and it is not large enough to be burdensome to anyone, yet it is large enough to accomplish a great deal if enough will respond. If you have not structed to bring Mercer street to grade

> At the Grand To-Night. The occasion seems opportune for a really good minstrel attraction, and that is what we are premised at the Powers' Grand opera house tonight, when Hi Henry and his fifty burnt-cork merry makers promise a bran new, up-to-date program, artistic and refined. This organization is catering for the lead in minstrelsy, and has already made rapid

strides in that direction. The press of our leading cities according to them general praise in presenting a novel and varied, clean and elegant entertainment, and their long list of prominent minstrel artists is an evidence of

The tickets for the banquet are now on

sale and can be obtained from any of the officers of the alumni or at the high school building. Price \$1 Please remember that any alumnus may bring a friend who is not a member of the association. Send in your dues and buy your tickets as soon as possible and we can proceed with a great deal more alacrity in the arrangement of affairs. S. Wilbur Corman, Notice.

A cordial invitation is hereby extended to all societies and citizens generally to turn out on Memorial day with the G. A. R. All societies desiring to take part in the ceremonies will please notify the chief marshal, W.J. Wayne, not later than May 27, in order that they may be assigned

L. N. Martin, Commander. N. Pringle, Adjutant.

Death of Capt, Dodd. Captain T. S. Dodd, aged 72 years whose alarming illness was noted in these columns last week, died at his home at New Albany, Ind., on May 16. the funcral taking place on Sunday. The decease best prospects for crops of all kinds they Mr. Thayer then made a speech on the was the father of County Clerk J. M.

THE DEAD HEROES.

ames of All the Known Old Soldiers Asleep in Macon County Cemeteries .. R. J. Roberts, the custodian of the G. . R. burial lot in Greenwood cemeter has made out a record which will be of interest to the old soldiers. It is an alnost complete list of the soldiers who are buried within the bounds of Macon county. Mr. Roberts has taken great pains in compiling the list. He succeeded in securing all the names excepting about thirty unknown veterans who are buried n different parts of the county. A record has been made out and all the names placed in it with the war history and place of burial of each man. Hereafter a record will be kept of all the soldiers who

The G. A. R. lot at Greenwood cen tery has been greatly improved and will be in good shape for Memorial day. The grounds have been beautified by the building of walls and the planting of flowers. The following is a list of the names of the old soliders buried in Macon county and the place of burial. Mr. Roberts de sires that the names of any who are not nentioned in this list be reported to him or to Jesse Bendure, the custodian of Greenvood cemetery, so that none of the soldiers raves will be missed when the Memorial Day decorations are made. Those buried in Greenwood cemeter

are as follows: Levi Alsberry, Thomas J.

Armstrong, Daniel Sholtz, --- Athons,

John Andrews, H. C. Blain, J. P. Boyd,

are buried in the county.

H. L. Boynton, — Bliler, A. Black, John Boyer, — Boaz, H. A. Bainter, F. S. Battieger, Jacob L. Baker, Jacob Bauer R. H. Bennington, Samuel Bradley, D. M. Berlin, John H. Brayton, Samuel Bix-Reed was having his brogans shined at ler, John Bradley, D. C. Cowgill, William R. Crocker, M. W. Campbell, Nic Orr, W. S. Crissey, Cyrus Downey, Dayton, Amos Dunham, Samuel Dycus, John Eckert, — Epler, Jacob Ellis, James G. Fisk, Daniel Fields, Lewis Fel¹, George Fulton, - Faulkner, M. H. Goodrich, H. M. Gossett, A. Gingrich, Prof. A. Goodman, Charles Higman, James T. Hubbard, Henry Hummell, C. L. Haines, Elijah Jett, Elias Kramer, John Kennelly, W. W. Kerr, J. S. Mitchel, James Meehan, R. Longabaugh, John Lindsay, eighbor, on his return to the practice of J. M. Lowry, W. P. Lenke, Aaron Luthe law at Springfield, after serving a kens, Jesse H. Moore, D. N. Moore, E. Minston, Phillip A. Miller, John Meesting. And interesting in the same way, Whinney, Albert Martin, Willis Martin, as affording a perfectly fresh, near, infor- George Martin, Samuel Morgan, - Mont mal view of the real man, is an account gomery, J. W. Moyers, John Murphy. cided that Decatur labor should be em- of General Grant, with anecdotes and pas- Levi Nichols, Willis Oglesby, G.W. Olrey, sages from his conversations, by the man | Edwin Philbrook, G. T. Perry, W. A. Price, Wiliam Penniwell, Edwin A. regiment. Of quite extraordinary inter- Simth, James Smith, R. G. Sollars, Henry H. Stafford, Jacob Stinen, James Twain-fifteen of them, covering a period Talyor, Samuel B. Tullis, William J. Us ery, C. W. Whitsit, William Wickham, J. hop, H B Westerfield, William Wheeler.

J. J. H. Young, Sr. At Mt Zion Cemetery-George W. Boh-Lacost, W. K. Martin, William Readhead At the Catholic Cemetery-A Kepler,

- Gilmore, - Lembach, - Langheld At the Cross Cemetery-John Andrews

At Mt.Gillind-Purnell Beadles, James At Long Creek-Joseph

Mowry, James C. Travis. At Harristown-Albert Conover. At Lovington-William C. Foster. At Union-Norval Huston, W. B. Hus

ton, J. G. Kirby, John Oldweiler. At Monticello-William Keenan.

At Salem-Lewis Morris. At Wheeler's-James Morris. At Spangler's-Paul Smith. At North Fork-Charles A. Smith.

At Litchfield-C. R. Spore

At Stackhouse-John Stackhouse.

Illinois Building Association. Judge Sample in the circuit court a Bloomington yesterday delivered an opinpaid this assessment please send it is at | ion in which he orders the sale of the enonce to Miss Laura Shaffer, 161 West tire remaining assets of the bankrupt Illinois Building and Loan association, to the Boston and Chicago firm of Cobe & McKinnon at 40c on the dollar, with 7 per cent interest, amounting to an average of about 46c on the dollar for the shares. The matter was by order of the court, referred to the stockholders, of whom 1325 favored selling, 208 objected and 900 made no reply. The judge holds that the 900 should be counted as in the affirmative On behalf of 200 stockholders who object an appeal from the order of the court was asked for and granted. The aggregate assets amount to about \$675, 000, so that the firm which purposes to buy will pay about \$310,000 if the sale is

> Receptian This Evening. This evening the members of the College street chapel will give a reception in honor of the new assistant pastor, Rev. J. F. Clokey. A program of music has been arranged and all the members and friends of the chapel are invited to be in attend

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TUESDAY, MAY 19, 1896.

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH.

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	Open- ing.	High-	Low-	Clos-	porary chairman, George S. Simpson named J. A. Morriweather, Dr. Thomas	
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July wheat: puts,	61%c; c	alls, 623	ec; cur	b. 61%.	presented to the committee, the members	

TO-DAY'S RHORIPTS—OAR LOTS Wheat—23. Estimated, 17; Year ago, 99 Jorn-405 Estimated, 460; a year ago, 917. Oats-323; Estimated, \$30; a year ago, 578. ESTIMATES FOR TO-MORROW. Wheat, ii; Corn. 200; oats, 171.

Hog receipts 18,000; estimated 22,000. Market ronger. Light, \$3.256.\$3.55; mixed, \$3.256.\$3.50; Deavy, \$3 \$5 @\$3 47; rough, \$3.10@\$3.20. Cattle receipts 2,000; market steady

LONDON, 1 p. m .- Off coast. wheat, steady nominally machanged: corn. quiet. English LIVERPOOL, 1 p. m .- Wheat, spot, quiet;

futures, speady; Corn, apot, easier; futures NEW YORK STOCKS

NEW YORK, May 19 - Wheat, July, 681, Corn July, 354. Oats, July, 24% ST. LOUIS MARKET.

Sr. Louis, May 19.-Wheat, cash, No. red, 64c; July, 59%. Corn, cash, 25%; July, 26% Oats, cash, 18%; July, 18%.

DECATUR STOCK MARKET.

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Calves			8.50@4.0
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Your	Hey Wen'	t Live a	Manth.

So Mr. Gilman Brown, of 34 Mill street, doctors. His som thad lung trouble, fol-lowing typhoid malaria, and the spont three hundred and seventy-five dollars with doctors, who finally gave 'him up, saying: "Your boy wont live a month." He tried Dr. King's New Discovery and a few bottles restored him to health and enabled him to go to work a perfectly well man. He says he owes his present covery, and knows it to be the best in the world for lung trouble. At West's drug

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SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and divisivered by the elerk of the circuit court of Macaon county, Illineis, in favor of W. B. Hostetier and against George W. Lichtenberger and ilegeors Lichtenberger, I have levied upon the issisted lichtenberger and lacon mand state of Illinois, subject to the dower interest of Mary Goodpasture, to wit: Twenty (20) acres off af the north end of the west half of the southwest aganter of section seventeen (17) in township places (16) north, range three (3) east of the adjusted in (4) left the nouthwest corner of the east half (5) left the nouthwest corner of the east half (5) left the nouthwest owner of these west to deals at the place of beginner. Also commenced the place of beginner. Also commenced gratter of the northwest corner of said section seventeen (17) thence west to find the place of the northwest owner of said section seventeen (17), thence west to find southwest gratter of said section seventeen (17), thence west to find southwest gratter of said section seventeen (17), thence west to find (10) chains, thence east and 63-100 chains, thence east the southeast corner of the court house of beginners, and thence least the section of the court house the place of beginners, with I is all offer at the section of the court house of the place of the court house the place of beginners, and county, illinois.

Result of the Delegate County on the an Convention Held To-Day.

OF WOE CEOICE OF THE VOTERS RATIFIED.

Represented-Interest in the Sparring for a Secret large number of the delegates, according

County Ticket,

For Coroner..... Jesse E. Bendure For Surveyor.......George V. Loring

The Macon county Republican convension when the effort was made to get the ruption the time to make these objections pulloting taken by the secret method. It was to the committee on credentials. aded and the nominations of I. R. Mills There was the place to fight that out." for states attorney, David L. Foster for circuit clerk, Jesse Bendure for coroner choice of the voters as expressed at the would answer for the Eighth precinct. primaries held in the city and county." It

The convention was called to order at

11 this morning by Captain Lytle OHIOAGO, III., May 19, 1895.
The REFURLICAN is indebted to B. Z. layler, tain M. F. Kanan. The announcement tain factors, New York, Minneapol sand St. Louis for the following market quotawho named as temporary chairman, Capporary chairman. George S. Simpson named J. A. Merriweather. Dr. Thomas and A. W. Hendricks were also named, but the first two declined and Hendricks that the roll call be taken. was chosen. The secretary then read the credentials be appointed and the motion Hankins, Dempsey, Sitckle, Betzer and Burrows. It was decided that no proxy

> The roll was called and the credentials presented to the committee, the members of which retired to examine them.

> W.W. Foster moved that the convention adjourn till afternoon. Mr. Simpson made an amendment that a recess of fifcen minutes be taken to await the action of the committee. During the recess ome one in the audience called for a speech from Attorney Johns but that genleman declined.

The convention was called to order again at 11:45 o'clock and the committee returned and reported on the credentials. The South Macon credentials were not in proper form and Pleasant View had not r ported. Mr. Hankins moved that the list be accepted as the delegates of the NEW YORK, May 49.—Stocks opened quiet. list be accepted as the delegates of the attorney was taken and resulted as fol-firm; market without metable features up to 11 convention. Mr. Johns said that he lows: Mills 69, McIntosh 3, Lee 14, s id in behalf of the committee that there for Black; the Twelfth Decatur district, signature. Mr. Johns amended the mo- for Lee, and the Fourteenth of Decatur t on before the house that the names of voted for McIntosh. The chairman dethose from South Macon be made delectored Mr. Mills the nominee of the con-PRORIA, May 19.—Corn, steady, No. 2, 38kc. | gates. This was carried as was the origination and the nomination was made inal motion to accept the report of the unanimous

> On motion of Dr. Thomas the temporary organization was made permanent. The convention then adjourned till

Afternoon Session. The afternoon session was called to or-

ommittee.

der at 1:15 o'clock. On motion of Mr. Hankins the delegates from Pleasant View were allowed a seat in the conven-Attorney Johns introduced a resolution

and moved its adoption. The resolution was to the effect that the roll call be taken on the vote of the different candidates South Gardner, Mass., was fold by the the chairman of each delegation giving the vote. Mr. Shelly made an amend ment that a ballet be taken in the differ ent delegations. Mr. Johns said that he old not understand allowing any delecation to cast a ballot. If by the word ballot he means that each delegation shall make up among themselves the choice of good health to use of Dr. King's New Disther candidate, it is at once a perversion of the object of the convention as called by the central committee. There was a primary in each adistrict and at their primaries the Republicans voted for their hoice. The central committee have proided for the rules regulating the voting. Every delegation is instructed to vote for the candidate for each office who received the highest number of votes in the pre cinct they represent. There is no call for secret ballot. If it is the object of the mendment to express a personal choice. it should be voted down in the conven

> Mr. Shelly said that he had no other de ire but to hear the individual choice of he delegates. He was surprised that Mr. Johns was afraid to let the delegates be rusted to vote individually. He had no tear of allowing that kind of a vote to be aken. One of the members of the Ma rea delegation offered a protest against a secret ballot, and wanted the people to inow how the Maroa delegation votes.

T. M. Hobart said that it was not only rovided how the primaries were to be eld but there were to be none to vote who did not belong to the party. If the rimaries were to be so binding why were hey not called under the law. The vere called in a different manner. Mr. Hobart said that his delegation would ote according to instructions. The delemless his conscience should prompt him

Dr. Thomas said that as far as the

ment. In the city the two sides had mous. fought and like two dogs, one was down and was squealing. He moved the vote the county central committe to fill any

A delegate from Long Creek wanted 2:30 o'clock. roll call so every one could see how the delegation voted so the people wouldn't think they were bought off. The speech was applauded.

The chairman then announced that the vere would be taken on the amendment to take a ballot in the delegation. Mr. Johns said that he presumed

to the instructions, would not vote their own selection. The object of the primary was to get the expression of the people of the county. That expression has been made; when a man comes to the Frank P. Black. convention he comes to represent the pecple and maintains the expression of the people of his district. If he was performtion was held today in this city at the cir- ing a power of attorney for a business cuit court room. Besides the delegates firm he would have to carry it out accordthere were a large number of spectators ing to instructions. He said: "My appear at the c neert tonight at the First M. E. church. present who remained through the pro- friend, Hobart, says the primaries were explings to observe the rumored sparring not held according to the Crawford law. that it was said would be made to have I helped make that law. It is used in the nominations made by secret ballot, Chicago and East St. Louis. I have been rather than by the announcement by the longer in the party than Hobart and the hairman of each delegation. All was central committee is the recognized ausmooth enough until the afternoon sest thority. If any delegate is here by cor-

W. W. Foster said this matter had provoked much discussion. He didn't think and George V. Loring for surveyor, was there were any delegates present who accomplished, practically voicing the would vote against instructions. He

Mr. Shelly said he thought the argus only interesting to note the vote in de- ment in Mr. Hobart's hands had the adtail as to the offices of attorney and cir- vantage. There is a question whether cuit clerk which is given below in tabu- these instructions were advisory or man datory.

Foster moved to lay the resolution and proposed amendment on the table. The motion was put and carried. Mr. Foster ominations. Carried.

The Nomination W. N. Andrews named Isaac R. Mills for states attorney. Mr. Hankins moved that the delegates vote by ballot after the nomination. An amendment was made

Mr. Foster said no one had call for the convention. It was moved right to make a motion unand seconded that a committee of five on til all the nominations were made. The chair said the vote was on being carried the chair appointed Messrs. the amendment. Hobart said unless nominations for states attorney were not closed the motion of Mr. Hankins was out of order. A motion was made that the nominations close. Bert Parke named Alexander McIntosh. Mr. Sheily then said he would name a man who would poli a big vote, James Lee S. C. Slean named W. H. Black.

> Dr. Thomas said Lee had carried the township in which he was raised by 90 out of 95. D. A. Maffitt moved the nomnations close as those named were all that wanted to be elected.

Mr. Hankins then moved that the vote on states attorney be made by ballot and A. H. Hill of Milam, made an amendment that the vote be taken by roll call of townships. The vote on the amendment was taken and carried.

Mills for State's Attorney. The vote for the nomination of states attorney was taken and resulted as folanted to hear the names of the delegates | Black 7. First and Eleventh Decatur disfrom South Macon read. Mr. Burrows tricts and one vote from Harristown were was simply a list of names without any Friends Creek, Oakley and Whitmore voted

Circuit Clerk. Johns mamed Mr. Hobart named Steele and W. N. Andrews named Durfee.

Mr. Johns challenged the vote of the Tenth district. The vote not according to instruction would not affect the result but there was a principle at stake. Mr. Hobart said that one delegate had no right to challenge the vote of other delegates. Mr. Johns said that in this case he had a right to challenge. The dishould be given according to instructions. Mr. Hankins then moved that the vote

e taken again for circuit clerk. Mr. Johns said that the question only emained with the Tenth district and that it would be improper to vote again. It

Goodman,a delegate from the Eleventh. said the reason the vote was split because the Democrats at the primary blocked the doorway and wouldn't let the Republi-

The chairman overruled the challenge of Mr. Johns. There was a motion before the house to call the roll again on circuit clerk and then another motion was made to lay it on the table. A roll call was demanded on the motion to lay on the table. It resulted in a vote of 63 to lay on the table and 30 against. This dispensed with the motion to take the vote again on clerk.

The clerk then announced the vote or ircuit clerk which had been taken. It vas as follows: Foster 50, Steele 23, Durfee 20

Those who voted for Durfee were the elegates from Austin, Blue Mound, Whitmore, Illini, Fourteenth, Thirteenth, Eleventh and Tenth Decatur. The votes ceived by Steele were from the Third, Fourth and Sixth Decatur, Harristown Hickory Point, Oakley, Pleasant View and South Macon.

Surveyor George V. Loring was named for coun-

y surveyor by D. A. Maffit and he was manimously nominated.

Alderman Carter named L. W. Fribourg, and G. S. Simpson named Jesse E. Bendure. The vote was taken and resultcates should vote according to instruction ed in 78 votes for Bendure and 15 for Fribourg. Those voting for Fribourg were Austin, Friends Creek, Oakley and Tenth, Eleventh and Fourteenth districts

every one voted according to his senti-dure. The vote was then made unan

A resolution was passed empowering endment be taken by call of vacancies which may occur on the ticket. On motion the convention adjourned at

PERSONAL MENTION.

Attorney I. A. Buckingham went t

M. Maxon and wife left last night for Cincinnati, Obio, on a visit to friends. Miss Eugenia Harris will give a pienic

pext Friday at her home at Macon Mrs. George Stober has left for Conners ville and Liberty, Ind., where she will

Mrs. John Barrett and son, of Bears

C. H. Brennan and family left last night for Philadelphia, Pa., where they will make their home in the future. Prof. Robyn, the noted St. Louis organist, has arrived in the city and will

John Finn is again very ill. He was thought to have been almost entirely recovered from one spell of illness but he is

now much worse. Mrs. Lillie Condell, widow of the late Will Condell, of St. Louis, who has been making her home in Los Angeles, Cal. during the past winter, is in very poor health. She may return to St. Louis or Decatur in a few weeks.

Invitations have been received by Decaur friends to the marriage of Miss Hattic May Miller and Mr. George Weldon Butrace M. E. church at Bloomingotn, on June 4th at 8:30 p.m. Miss Miller is the nly daughter of Rev. and Mrs. James Miller, formerly of this city. Miss Grace Hamsher will be one of the bridesmaids

THE DEMOCRATS.

Christian County.

Taylorville, May 19.—The Democratic county convention nominated V. E. Foy moved that the convention proceed to of Taylorville, for the legislature, indorsed F. P. Drennan of Taylorville, as a member of the state board of equalization, T. F. Russell for secretary of state, George W. Jones for clerk of appellate court, and E. A. Snively for clerk of supreme court. The delegates to the staonvvention were instructed to vote as a unit for free silver and for the renomina tion of Governor Altgeld.

Moultrie County Sullivan, Ill., May 19.—The Democratic county convention instructed dele gates to the congressional for J. H. Baker. A resolution was passed indorsing Governor Altgeld and delaring for silver. A resolution was also passed instructing for E. A. Snively for clerk of the supreme court and George W. Jones for clerk of the appellate court.

Crookston, Minn., May 19.—The flood SUITS-Ladies' Ready Made Suits, situation is becoming very serious. The rise in Red river has been very rapid by ceason of the continous rains. Part of the town is flooded with water two to three feet deep on some of the principal streets while in some residence districts the first floors are flooded. Railroads have suffered severely from wash outs and all trains are late. The crop situation in the Red River valley is most seri-

Tramps Killed in a Wreck. Toledo, May 19 .- By the breaking of nair pipe on the Lake Shore fast freight oday the brakes were set on the tront half of the train. The rear half came forward with such a terrific force that the empty stock cars were crushed like egg shells. Seven tramps were stealing a ride and one was killed; others were injured.

Dubuque, Iowa, May 19.-Frederick Weigle, one of the oldest and wealthiest residents in Dubuque, suicided today by shooting. He was despondent over illness

ACTIVE WAR PREPARATIONS. Inusual Bustling About the Navy Yard at

Philadelphia. A New York Recorder special from Philadelphia says: League Island navy yard during the past few days has witnessed an unusual amount of bustling. All the force is at work upon the cruisers and monitors that are trict had given one vote for one man and stationed there, getting them ready another vote for another man, and they for active service. This burst of industry is not to be explained by the

officials at the yards. Said one: "All that we know is that orders have been sent to us to have the employes about the yard set to work to get the various vessels of all sorts down here ready for possible service. remained with the chair to decide on that The more important of these is the dynamite cruiser Vesuvius. She only ent out of commission a short time go, but you know that when a vessel oes out of commission her machinery is detached and covered with lead and oil to insure the best possible preser-

> "Next comes the Miantonomoh which is lying at the Delaware river front. Practically the same thing is being done to her. The old monitors are being fixed up. Some of them have not been used since the war, but theyare still in excellent preservation, and with a little care can be put into good

"These old monitors are often sneered at, but I want to say that they will make strong harbor defenders. They all two 15-inch guns, and these are mcdern enough to cause trouble to any vessel, even the most impenetrable. These are all being fixed up. They include the Nahant, Jason, Montauk, Catskill, Mohapac, Manhattan, Canonicus and Lehigh.

It will require only two weeks to get the vessels ready for service.

G.W. Adams, of Fisher, has been hoard-ing his gold for some time and supposed he had it deposited in a safe place in his barn The other day he thought to add barn The other day he thought to add a little to the sum already accumulated, but the strong box had vanished and he is \$470 wiser but poorer. No clew.

City, underwent the third operation of mputation of a diseased limb recently. It was reported successful and hones are ntertained of his complete recovery.

The Knights of Pythias and Modern country was concerned at the primaries of Decatur, all the others voting for Ben- July celebration at Illiopolis.

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PARASOLS—The Fine Dresden and Plain Parasols... \$1.39, \$1,75, \$3.00

DISLIKE WISCONSIN COLORS. Red Letter Boxes on the Minnesot

Campus Are Repainted. Because the letter boxes at the University of Minnesota were painted red, Wisconsin's color, some one gave them a coat of a different hue. The regent ing an investigation, and they already have evidence implicating not only stu-

The boxes were placed on the university grounds recently, being painted the regulation red. The other morning passers-by noticed that they had been repainted a striking combination of white and green, the colors of the reshman class

Beneath the box was nailed the in-"Wisconsin colors are not allowed on the campus."

Cardinal is to the University of Mir. nesota what it is to the wild bull. An investigation was at once set on foot, as the government considers it a serious offense to tamper with any of its mail boxes.

President Northrop addressed the students in chapel, expressing considerable indignation and saying he was sorry that such vandalism had been perpetrated The under classmen immediately started the report that two members of the faculty had a hand in the matter, and they were heard to make certain derogatory remarks in egard to the color of the boxes. One f the gentlemen, it is said, even pro osed to a student that he should take brush and paint and change the unpatriotic hue of the receptacle. The ames of the professors have not bee riven out, but it is understood that other evidence has been secured.

MASONIC TEMPLE MIRAGE.

leture of the Building Seen in Cloud at Warsaw. The strangest phenomenon ever seen n Warsaw, Ind., was visible the other nirage of the Masonic Temple in Chi ky, apparently over a wagon factory car the public square. The day was strange one in more ways than one at this place. The wind was high and rain fell furiously. Hail as large as valnuts rattled on the housetops and battered the windows of buildings. A great cloud hung, after the storm had ubsided, in the western sky and on its face was pictured the Masonic Temole in complete mirage. The struc ture was plainly visible and people could be seen walking about in its vicinity. Warsaw is 109 miles from Chicago, on the Pittsburgh & Fort Wayne road. It has a population of 3,500.

It is estimated that gold and jewels worth \$4,000,000,000 are strewn along the bottom of the sea on the route bewteen England and India.

he gold coast is that of monkey skins. During the last five years an average of 175,000 skins have been annually ex-Osmund Johnson, a former resident of

There are 122,000,000 silk hats made annually in the United Kingdom, worth \$20,000,000.

is to his whereabouts.

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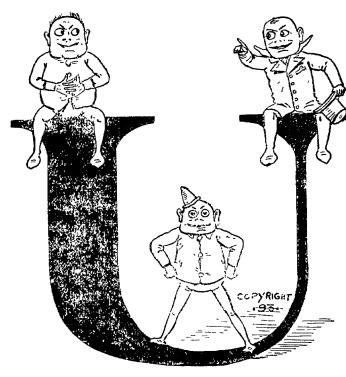
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LOSES HER VOICE.

Predicament of Lillian Russell in a Brooklyn Theater.

Is Rung Down-Actréss Believes the Trouble Is Merely Temporary.

Lilian Russell, the prima donna, disappointed 1,000 persons in the Columbia theater, Brooklyn, the other night, by her inability to sing in "La Perichole." It was the second time in one week that the voice of the actress had given out, and among those who have watched her career it is feared that Miss Russell's oice has left her permanently.

On last Monday Miss Russell made her first appearance of the season at the Columbia. She sang a part of the opera, when suddenly the curtain was lowered. For ten minutes taere was no explanation. Then the manager went befor the curtain and announced that Miss Russell was ill. The audience left the

On Tuesday and Wednesday Miss Russell took a rest. She did not appear at the matinee Thursday, husbanding her strength for the evening performance The curtain was raised at the usual hour and the prima downa tripped upon the stage as if she were equal to any emer-

When the time came for her to sing she began beautif :ily, but in a few moments there was a silence, broken only by the sound of the orchestra. The mu sical director looked at the singer. The audience looked on, not knowing what There was a look of astonishment on the face of Miss Russell. The curtain was dropped and the manager appeared. He announced that Miss Rusrell's voice had given out and that she would be unable to sing. The audience got their money at the box-office.

When seen by a reporter she said her nability to sing was only temperary, and that she did not intend to leave the

"My vocal chords refused to respond to-night," she said, "and for that reason was unable to utter a high note. I was parse from the work that I have been doing for the last ten days, singing sevcral difficult opers. I will not retire. The trouble is merely temporary. My engagement in Brooklyn will be can-

WEDDING BELLS RANG OUT. Not of Regulation Pattern, But Good Old

Wedding bells rang out loudly on Jackson boulevard in Chicago the other evening at 10:30 o'clock. They were not the regulation wedding bells, that the poets like to dream about, but an oldtashioned cow bell, that had a peal like

It was tied to the rear axle of a carriage which contained a newly-married couple on their way to the depot for their wedding trip. Some of their young friends had bribed the coachman to lrive in all the rough places in the street, so that the bells would be continuously on the clatter, and, as the carriage rolled blocks away.

The residents along Jackson street

vere aroused from their slumbers, and rushed to the windows to see what was the cause of the vigorous bell-ringing; but only the old-timers who were raised on a farm were able to tell from the sound that some one was out with an old cow-bell. The bridal party rode on, oblivious to the ringing of the bell, until within a block of the depot, when their attention was attracted by the crowds along the street, who shouted at the driver as he rolled by. Finally a street urchin rushed up to the carriage and said: "Say, don't yez hear dem

The groom called to the driver to stop, and attempted to alight from the carriage. The doors could not be opened, as his friends had taken the precaution to securely tie them with large bows of white ribbon. A big crowd gathered, and the door was finally opened, when, to the dismay of the groom, upon alighting he saw, tied to the door, in big letters, a piece of cardboard, with: "Ha! we're married." He did not say anything, but did a great deal of thinking, and is now spending his honeymoon trying to devise plans for getting even with his friends.

BOURKE COCKRAN BADLY HURT. While Bicycle Riding He Meets with a Painful Accident.

Former Congressman Bourke Cockran, while out for a spin on his wheel the other morning in New York, met with an accident that is likely to confine him to his bed for some time at least. When the accident occurred Mr Cockran was on the west drive at Sixtvsixth street when a young man, H. R Kendall, fell just in front of him. Mr. Cockran was too near to swerve to one side and he was thrown headlong. He turned nearly a complete somersault and landed heavily on his left side. The park ambulance was called and Mr. Cockran was taken to Roosevelt hospital, from where Dr. Goldsmith, the am bulance surgeon, finding that his injuries were apparently not very serious. apartments at the Holland house. It is possible, Dr. Goldsmith says, that he bone. Mr. Cockran had intended to sail for Europe soon, but at best his trip will likely be postponed for some time

An Awkward Mistake. Henry Labouchere tells of an awk-

ward mistake he made about De Persigny, Napoleon's right-hand man and appearance was plebeian, and when the ondon editor saw him at an evening reception he took him for a waiter and asked for a cup of tea. "De Persigny good-humoredly went for it," says Mr. Labouchere, "and I was knocked into a heap at seeing his grand cordon of the Legion of Honor, but kept down my confusion and got into a rattling chat with

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POR SALE—Nice lot, 40x182 on North Union street, fronts east. \$375 buys it, owner wants money. This lot will be worth \$500 in the spring. Have horse and buggy at office to show you the property. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 215 North Main street. Nov 15-dtf

FOR SALE—80x182 time building lot, east front on North Church street, can be bought for \$800 if sold this month, on account of closing partnership business. This is a snap; look it up. Peter H. Brueck, Real Estate Broker, 215 North Main street.

POR SALE—Good residence property on south side of Wood street, first block east of court house block. Seven rooms on 1st & 2d floors, basement, kitchen, dhing room and cellar under entire house. First class Palace King furnace goes with house. Fifty-dool tot, with driveway extra. City water and cistern in house. On paved street and street cars pass door. W. P. Shade. dee20 dtf

We have some good work horses which we can sell on the installment plan, or on long time. Also two good milch cows very clean. Apply at Dimock's Sale stable at west end of Eldorado street. April 29 dtf

FOR SALE—\$50 cash and 25 monthly payments of \$10 cach, no interest, will buy a handsome building lot, east front, on North Church street. What more can you ask? Poter H. Brueck, roal estate broker, 215 North Main street. nov16-dtf MONEY TO LOAN.

TO LOAN -\$400 and \$500 private funds, to loan on real estate. KUNY, JOHNS & STROHM, 124 N. Water st. April 7 dtf

FISK BROS., Over Farmers' Bank.

MONEY TO LOAN—Farm and city loans a 6 per cent interest. C. E. Given. 605, Milli-kin Bank Building. may 7-d&wtf. LOANS PEGRAM & CO.,

I OANS—I have money to place on farms and city property not over 40 per cent of value at 6 per cent, on 5 years time, with privilege of payments after the second year. Also loca money for nearly all classes of loans. Call or address Samuel McBride, 215 North Main street deci7 d6mo

M ONEY TO LOAN—In large or small amounts on good city real estate or farm lands, good notes or personal property. No delay, Money paid at once if title is good. All business strictly confidential. Office open every night. AARON SMICK, 146 East Main St. july22-diff

MONEY TO LOAN.—I have small sums to loan on good personal security without de lay. Loan money on farms at 6 per cent interest and get them through in a very few days. I you want to BUY, SELL or TRADE any rea estate call and see me, I can help you. GEO W EHRHART, Room 10, Opera Block. [11-dimed

MISCELLANEOUS.

OME AND SEE US IN OUR NEW OFFICE of you want to buy, sell, trade, borrow or loan. We have some into bargains in farm and city property for eash or trade GRAY & GRAY, Attorneys at Law, 211 North Water st.

April 27-diff

PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS, PUMPS, GEO. M. WOOD, 135 South Water st. THE "Dollar Special" cabinet photo is still being made \$1.00 per dozen. Proofs shown. Accuracy and permanence guaranteed. Dark days no hindrance in setting good negatives East End Gallery, 1079 E. Eldorado St. Dec. 30 d&wtf

SEE DILTS—If you are wanting a two, three or four inch tubular well, or your old wells made deeper Well work of all kinds and sizes, from two inches to three feet. 723 N. Water or 1712 E. Prairie street. SEWING MACHINES of all kinds repaired and instructions given at the newly erected repair shop on Pine street, between West Main and Prairie streets. Over 25 years of experience. Drop postal to 750 West Main or call. New Phone 131.

OUR \$12 and \$15 suits are well worth much more. In tyle, quality and fit they can't be excelled. Call and see samples. H. M White. 235 North Water street. oct25-dtf

THE Blue Grass Carriage shop. Your vehicle insured and stored at my risk tree of cost ir repairs or repainting is necessary for spring use. Oceans of good dry room, and I want one to two hundred vehicles on these terms. Corner of East Main and Franklin streets. Jane-dtf SALENMEN-55 a day. No canvassing. No deliveries. No collections. Samples free side line or exclusive. Mfrs., 3941 Marke. street. Phila.

If you want your carpets nicely cleaned remember the Hayes Decatur Carpet Cleaning Machine does the work better and cheaper that it can be done by any other method. Will call for and deliver free. Remember the Works are at 630 Wabash avenue. Both Telephones No 667. L C Hayes, proprietor and manager. April 6-dft

B ALED HAY, Baled straw, corn, oats, ground feed for sale at T. B. Doake's, No. 201 Wes Wood street.

Jan 23-dtf

BOMMEESBACH, wholesale and retail grower of all kinds of Bedding Piants, es, Carnations, and every variety of flowers piants. Cut Flowers a specialty. This is proper season to set out all kinds of flowers plants.

NOTICE.—I have sold my grocery stock, and parties having bills against me can present them to Geo. W. Ehrhart, Room 10, Opera block. ANNA HAMSHER May 18-d6*

SEALED BIDS will be received up to 12 Octook, noon, Saturday, May 23, for the purchase of the stock of drugs, books and fixtures of the Elchinger Drug Store, corner Main and Water streets, Decatur, Ill. Bids will be received for the drugs and fixtures, and also the books, separately. A certifuel check of \$200 must accompany each bid. Terms, cash. Stock can be seen at any time. A four year's lease of the room can be had. S. S. JACK, Assigner J. W. Eichinger, Decatur, Ill. May 11-dtd

RHEUMATISM CURED.—Decatur. III. Nov. 120th. Wanted, everybody to read this article. For four or five years I took medicine for my kidaeys and could get no relief. After trying several other kinds of medicines for rheumatism I tried your Cerredanle Capsules and they not only cured my rheumatism but cured my back as well. I can and do hearlily recommend them to any one with rheumatism and neuralgia. Yours truly, Tom Peniwell, ticket agent, I C. R. R.

OST—A lady's gold watch near Hill's, north west of the city. Any one returning it to No. 250 West Eldorado street will be suitably rewarded.

May 16-d6

LOST—On the corner of Church and Elderado streets. a Library book and a school history. The finder will please return same to Republican office. LOST-On Thursday morning on West William street, a gray sack coat with G. A. R. badge on left lapel. Finder will leave same at Johnson & Fruit's Bakery and receive suitable reward.

Master in Chancery's Sale. 250

Ann Bolles vs. James T. Bolles et al--In Parti-tion. No. 15,252. Public notice is hereby given in pursuance of a decree of the circuit court of Macon county, state of Illinois, entered at the January term. A. Ex7806, of said court, in the above entitled cause, I. James J. Finn, master-in-chancery of said fourly, without the said fourly, without the said fourly without the said fourly without the said fourly of the said fourly of the said fourly without the said fourly and said fourly without the said four said fourly and said fourly and said fourly said fourly said four said fourly said four said fourly said for said fourly said for said fourly said for sai

Wedlesday, the 17th day of June, 1896, at the doing 2 o'clock, p. m at the front door of the cours sows, in the City of Decatur, in Ma county fillnois, ofter for sale at public vendue to the lighest and best bidder the land described a said decree as follows, to-wit.

Commencing at the southeast corner of lot six, (6), in block eleven (11), in South Addition to the City of Decatur, in Macon county, Illinois, thences south eisty (60) feet, thence west one hundred and ten (110) feet, thence north sixty (60) feet, thence east one hundred and ten (110) feet tarne place of beginning, situated in Macon county fillnois.

Terms—Cash in hand.

Dated at Decatur, Illinois, May 16, 1896.

JAMES J. FINN, Master in Chancery.

LEFORGEE & LEE, Solicitors.

May 18, 1996-d4w

CHANCERY NOTICE.

CHANCERY NOTICE.

STATE OF ILLINOIS, SS
MATON COUNTY.
In the difficult Count to the June Term. A. D. 1896
W. H., Whittington vs. Lida A. Whittington—
Divorce.
Affidavit that Lida A. Whittington's residence cannot be ascertained after due and diligent inquiry having been filed to the office of the clerk of they circuit court of said county. notice is hereby even to the said Lida A. Whittington that the shove named complainant heretofore filed his bill of complain a said court, on the chancary side thereof, which suit is still pending, and that a summons thereupon issued out of said court against the above named defendant, returning on the first day of the next June term at said court, to be held at the court househithe City of Decatur, in said county, on the first Monday in June, A. D. 1896.

Now limbers you, the said Lida A. Whittington, shall be and appear on the first day of the said term of the circuit court and plead, answer or demur to the said bill of complaint the same will be 'taken as confessed and a decree rendered according to the prayer thereof.

Dated this 22d day of April, A. D. 1896.

E. McCLELLAN, Clerk.

GRAY & GRAY, Attorneys for plaintiff.

SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution to me directed and delivered by the clerk of the county court of Macon county, Illinols, in favor of E. L. Pergram and against Thomas E. Brownfield, I have levied upon the following described property, to wit: Lot No. three (3) in Block No. one (1) in E. Thomas' subdivision of a part of the southwest quarter (sw qr.) of section twelve (12), town sixteen (16) north, range 2 east of the 3d p. m., as per plat recorded in Book 22, page 453, Deed Records of Macon county, Illinols, and also Lot eight (8), block nineteen (19), Car ver's addition to the City of Decatur, Macon county, Illinols, taken as property of the said Thomas E. Brownfield, which I shall offer at public sale at the north door of the court house, in Decatur, in Macon county in said state, on the 26th day of May, A. D., 1896, at 2 o'clock p. m of said day, for eash in hand to satisfy said execution.

This 4th day of May, A. D., 1896.

y. m of sand day, said execution.

This 4th day of May, A. D. 1896.

J. P. NICHOLSON,
Sheriff Macon Co., 1ll.

ELECTION NOTICE.

OFFICE OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION, DECATUR, ILL., MAY 18, 1896. LOANS PEGRAM & CO.,
Room One, over Citizen's Nat. Bank.

MONEY TO LUAN—On real estate, farm a-m chinery, live stock, household gods or god personal security Houses rented, rents and accounts collected. J. W. Redman, 149 S. Water

DISSOLUTION NOTICE. Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing in the bakery business between Charies Henry and Henry Henry, under the firm name of Henry Bros., was dissolved on Monday, May 18, 1896. Charles Henry succeeds to the business. All persons indebted to the old firm will please call at the bakery and settle their accounts. CHARLES HENRY, May 19, 1896-d6 HENRY HENRY.

R. R. TIME TABLES.

In effect May 20, 1896.

FROM ST. LOUIS.

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DRESS GOODS DEPARTMENT.

SPECIAL SALE IN FINE DRESS GOODS COMMENCING TUESDAY, FOR 10 DAYS.

500 yards Latest Novelty Goods price 40c, For this Special Sale, 22c.
250 " " " changeable colors, price 75c, this Special sale, 43c
359 " Fancy Mohair Pulliantine, price 35c, for this Special Sale, 22c.
250 " Imported Novelty Goods, just as good as you would pay \$1.00 a yard,
For this Special Sale, 43c.
250 " Fine Black Serge, 48 inches wide, price \$1.25 a yd, For this sale, 58c.
300 " Silk Mixed Novelty Goods, price \$1.25 a yard, For this Sale, 58c.

LADIES' FINE GOODS.

25 doz. Ladies' Fine Wrappers, Large Sleeves, Fancy Back, just such goods as you pay \$1.00 for, This Sale, 48c.
8 doz. Ladies dark color Wrapper with fancy ruffle, price \$1.25, Special Sale, 78c.
150 Ladies' Wrappers, large sleeves, embroidered collar and collarette, just as good as you would pay \$1.50, For this sale, 95c.
75 Ladies' Fine Sateen Wrappers, with Bishop sleeves. fancy trimming. just as good as you would pay \$2.50; For this sale \$1.75.

BOYS' CLOTHING DEPARTMENT.

150 Boys' Knee All Wool Suits, price \$2.00—For this sale \$1.20.
75 " " better quality, would be a big bargain at \$3.00,

For this sale, \$1.45. 50 Suits, strictly all wool, fancy patterns, just as good as you would pay \$4.00, For this Sale, \$2.65. 75 Suits in summer shades, just as good as you would pay \$5 00. This Sale, \$2.75. 50 Boys' Suits, in plaid, strictly all wool, with best work that can be made up, price \$6.00, For this Sale \$2.90.

MEN'S DEP'T---GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS. 75 pair Men's Working Pants, warranted not to rip or tear, price \$1.00, for this

sale, 69c.
150 pair Men's Pants, warranted not to rip or tear, price \$1.25, for this sale, 85c.
150 pair All Wool Pants, price \$3.00; For this sale, \$1.98.
150 pair of All Wool Pants, light colors, just as good as you would pay \$4.00, for this sale \$2.50.
150 pair All Wool Cassimer Pants, nobby styles, just as good as you would pay \$5.00, for this sale \$2.90.

SPECIAL BARGAINS will be given in our Millinery Department. Fine Sailor Hats at 35c.

Thousands of more Bargains to be mentioned, but it is impossible to put it in the paper.

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Do you want a Spring Suit? Do you know a good thing when you see it? Can you devote five minutes' time toward making it possible for you not to have to "give up" \$3 to \$5 more than is necessary for the suit you're bound to have pretty soon? Read this, and if you doubt, give yourself the benefit of the doubt-which the law allows every man-and Come and Investigate.

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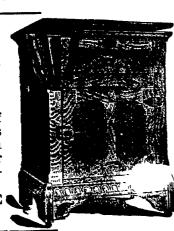
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covered a process allied to the X rays. people treated the matter as a joke. Inestigation by a correspondent at Fairfield who has induced Mr. Johnson to financially and possessing a complete chemical and physical laboratory at his country home. He simply claims that an ordinary base metal, which has been

considered a chemical element, is a compound of which gold is the principal After the publication of Prof. Roentgen's discoveries Johnson became interested, and, in company with Mr Minear, duplicated some of the easier experiments. After securing several pictures they concluded to experiment

on the comparative transparency of several metals to the X rays. By accident a block of one of the most common metals was placed in the box in a certain relation to the anode pole of the Crookes

GOLD DIRT CHEAP.

owa Farmer Discovers How to

a Process Allied to the X Rays an

hich He Terms "Y" Rays-Can

Made for a Shilling

Make It from Base Metals.

After two hours Mr. Johnson observed that this metal was undergoing a change. The surface nearest the tube vas covered to a depth of one-fourth of an inch with a white powder. Beneath his powder the metal presented uneven surfaces of vellowish color. More metal was procured and a like result followed. The change must have resulted from ite proximity to the anode pole of the Crookes tube. Rays of great chemical Mr. Johnson called these "Y" rays.

Mr. Johnson then sent a block of the metal after it had undergone change to a friend at Columbia college, John C. Hotchkiss, asking him to determine its nature. A reply has been received in which preliminary results were given. The yellow metal, Mr. Hotchkiss says, "is probably gold." The base metal used is a secret. According to Mr. Johnson, it is 68.92 per cent. gold and he can ecompose a pound in three hours at an expense of 131/2 cents per hour. This means at a cost of about 50 cents to produce about \$153 worth of gold. Steps have been taken to patent the process in this country and abroad.

DRIVEN INSANE BY A JOKE.

John Rushock Becomes a Raving Mania John Rushock became violently insane the other day in the No. 9 mine of the Lehigh & Wilkesbarre Coal company at Sugar Notch, Pa., through fright lest the mine should cave in. He had never been in a mine before, and this fact, soon becoming known, some of the young men resolved to have some fun at his expense. He was taken to a part of the mine which is "working" -that is, where the pillars have been weakened and are chipping off owing to the great weight they support When this imagination was aroused by the pieces of coal flying from the sides and the incessant groaning and murthe mine was caving in and they would all be killed. With a shrick he sprang away from them and dashed down the angway. The crowd gave chase, and, after a long run, cornered him in an men when they came near, and it took the largest syndicate of importers in seven of them to subdue him. His that republic. The preliminary arbandoned chamber. He attacked the arms and legs were pinioned and he was medicine to produce sleep. He awoke the next day, and, while more quiet, was far from being in his right senses, and it is feared he may never fully re-

FISHERMAN'S PERILOUS TRIP. Boat Steered Through the Niagara Rap-

ids by Frederick Heine. In the presence of between 2,000 and 3,000 people Frederick Heine, a fisherman of Niagara Falls, N. Y., the other dairy product just when you want day made the perilous trip through the it, IN ANY QUANTITY, the Best rapids above the American falls down to within a few feet of Goat island in a small flat-bottomed boat. A great quan tity of ice was running at the time, which added to the excitement and danger of the situation. Heme started from Port Day, and by means of a pole guided himself down to a point near the head of the island. Upon arriving there he landed on a cake of ice and held aloft an American flag The return trip was Cream, that will whip, 20c per Q1 made with great difficulty. It was in making the attempt to perform a similar feat that "Jack" Walker lost his Money can buy, 25c Quart. FINE CREAMERY BUTTER hife about three years ago, being swept

Nonplused the Loyal Scat. A distinguished Indian officer, Scotch to the core, never lost an opportunity of advertising his countrymen. One evening at mess he had a large number Creamery and Dairy, evening at mess he had a magnificent speci-451 North Water St. men of a highland piper on duty behind his chair. To draw attention to the man's splendid appearance he turned to him and said: "What pairt o' Scotland do you come from, my man?" With a punctilious salute the reply was: "Tip-

perary, yer honor!" American Butter. In the United States there are churned, pounded and patted into proper condition every year 15,000,000 pounds of butter for export, to say nothing of an immensely larger quantity which is daily spread upon home

The Unhealthiest Trade. Lead working is the most disastron

made bread and consumed instanter.

G.W. Adams of Fisher, has been hoard Stop and think--you have Still on hand. They are special bargains. Belt Pin given FREE with Every Belt, is \$470 wiser but poorer. No clew.

LINCOLN'S BIRTHPLACE. To Be Purchased by the Nation and Mad

The birthplace of Abraham Lincol which it is proposed in a bill introduced in the house of representatives by Congressman Lewis, of Kentucky, to pur chese and turn into a home for disabled soldiers, is owned by A. W. Dennett, of New York city. The farm is located about 45 miles southwest of Louisville, When it was announced a few days near the village of Hodgenville. There ago that George Lawrence Johnson, a are 110 acres of undulating land in the farmer hing near Fairfield, Ia., had discovered a process allied to the X rays. bered. Near the center of the farm is and which he termed "Y" rays, by a splendid spring, from which the place means of which a base metal could be has derived its name of Lincoln Spring transformed into gold at small cost farm. Here Abraham Lincoln was born and lived until he was four years old.

When Mr. Dennett bought the farm in November, 1894, his intention was talk about his discovery puts a differ to rescue the historic place from the ent light on the matter. It is found neglect into which it had fallen. Folthat Johnson is a graduate of Columbia lowing this idea he built a pavilion for college, New York, well provided for the accommodation of visitors, fenced in the property and sowed grass seed all over the entire farm.

The log cabin in which Lincoln was born was sold several years ago and had been removed to a farm, where it was in use as a storehouse. The building was purchased by Mr. Dennett and moved back to the old site at Lincoln Spring farm.

Mr. Dennett says that he had no idea of conveying the property to the United States government when he purchased it. Of late the congressmen from Ken tucky and the Grand Army of the Republic have agitated the matter and hope the bill will go through congress A number of the officers of the grand army visited the farm during the recent encampment at Louisville and all were favorably impressed with the lo cation and its adaptability for a sol-

THE DEAD SHAH.

ting Talk of an American Wh Had Met Nasr-Ed-Din. William C. Fox, former United States

consul at Teheran, who was for some time in charge of the American legation there, now editor of the Diplomatic and Consular Review at New York, in talking of the shah of Persia, who has just been assassinated, said:

"Nasr-Ed-Din, the defender of religion, is the Arabic title by which the shah of Persia was known. I remember charge of the United States legation at Teheran. The actual age of the Mussulmen is never known, but I should judge that the ruler of the land of the lion and the sun was at that time 64 years of age. I had the honor to be received by him on several occasions in official audience. He impressed me as being every inch a man and a king. The hast occasion upon which I saw him was the time he sent for me to personally thank me as the United States official representative for the great work which had been done by the American missionaries in relieving the distress and in healing the sick during the terrific cholera epidemic of 1892. The shah was very much moved and great big tears stood in his eyes as he referred to the humane work of the American doctors, as he called the missionaries.

"He always had a peculiar love for America, probably owing a great deal to the fact that it was the land beyond

"The Persians called the United States 'Yange Donya,' which means the new world. And it is facetiously said that our own 'Yankee Doodle' is derived

TO INVADE VENEZUELA. Eight Big Chicago Business Firms Con

plete a Commercial Treaty. In their determination to gain com mercial recognition in Venezuela, eight of Chicago's leading business firms have placed their interests in the hands of rangements for this invasion of the field hoisted to the surface in a mine car and taken home, where he was given cleants of London, l'aris and Brussels were completed the other day, the firms combining being. Marshall Field & Co., Heath & Milligan Manufacturing

company, Peck Brothers & Co., The Lawson Varnish company, Brunswick Balke-Collinder company, Bradner Smith & Co, W. W. Kimball Piano com pany and the Elgin Sewing machine company. For several weeks a repre sentative of the largest importing syndicate in Venezuela has been canvassing the commercial situation in Chicago, visiting the leading business houses, investigating prices and discounts and freight rates, and examining samples. Having credentials estab lishing the reliablity of the syndicate, he received such favorable treatment that negotiations for a commercial treaty were quickly completed. The treaty is nothing more than the remarkably favorable terms offered by the Chicago firms to the Venezuelan syndicate, and which were better than could be secured by the agent in either New York, Boston or Philadelphia.

FIVE MILLIONS FOR CHARITY. Baron de Hirsch's Will Sends Many Dollars to Moravia

The Temps says that the will of the late Baron de Hirsch has been opened at Bruenn. His wife is made the residuary legatee One million pounds (\$5,000, 000) are set apart for charities in Mo ravia. Another important legacy is left to Baron de Hirsch's adopted daughter The will contains no other dispositions

Lawn Tennis. Lawn tennis was invented by Maj. Walter Wingfield, who brought out the game, under another name, in 1874. The first public game was played in 1875.

Electric Whip. A German journalist has invented as electric whip for the purpose of training wild animals. The sting of the new whip is said to be very effective.

Eagles in a Trap. Two unusually large eagles were caught in one trap, which had been set for coyotes, near Grant's Pass, Ore., las

A blunder in the delivery of a telegra at Tuscola came near resulting fatally. The message was intended for T B. Foster and by mistake was taken to Mrs. R.

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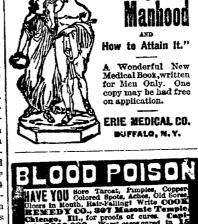
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ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

Estate of William A. Williams, doing business as William A. Williams, Debtor.
The undersigned hereby gives notice that William A. Williams, of the city of Decatur, in the county of Macon and State of Illinois, did, on the 29th day of April, A. D. 1890, transfer to the undersigned as assignee all his property, real and personal, for the benefit of his creditors, according to the provisions of the act concerning assignments. Ing assignments.
All persons having claims against the said William A. Williams are hereby notified to present such claims under oath or affirmation to me at the City of Decatur, in said county, within three months from this date.

I. W. EHRMAN, Assignmee.

May 2, 1896 d6w

Shiloh Excursion.

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J. Foster, whose husband was in Chicago, whence it came. The lady was so overcome that a doctor was summoned and it was feared she would die. Later she revived and will recover.

Walter Rinehart, living near Farmer Gity, underwent the third operation of amputation of a diseased limb recently. It was reported successful and hopes are entertained of his complete recovery.

The Knights of Pythias and Modern Woodmen will attend to the Fourth of July celebration at Illiopolis.

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The Survivors of the Battle of Shiloh will hold their Third Annual Reunbon on the battlefield on May 20-90, and the Illinos Veterans' Association on May 30th. This is the first monument erected by the strength of the Pittsburg Landing National and it was feared she would die. Later she revived and will recover.

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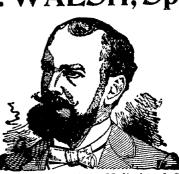
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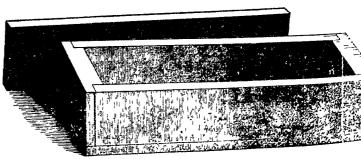
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YOU CAN'T afford to delay if you are suffering with Catarrh, Bronchitis, Asthma. Early Consumption, Rheumatism, Neuralgial. Dyspepsia, Scrotula, or any blood, liver, kluney disease, piles or hydrocele. His long hospital experience enables him to save a life when others fall HE CAN positively guarantee a radical cure of Variocele in seven days by his paniless method. Women suffering from uterine or ovarian trouble of any nature come and get his opinion on jour sase free of charge. Gleet, Syphilis and Gonorrhea cured by latest and best methods.

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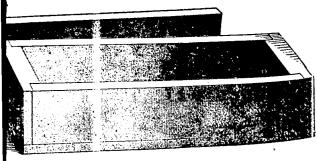
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THE TRUTH

The write-up spoken of by our windy competitor as coming from the Bearings Publishing Co., of Chicago, (the cycling authority of America), has arrived. BUT this leading cycle house(?) thought best not to make this write-up public, as it might inform the people of the very peculiar manner this "leading cycle house"? has of doing business in Bicycles, Vehicles and Harness.

Here is a copy of their ad. in the Decatur Daily Republican of April 24, 1896:

The Bearings Publishing Co., Chicago.,

(the cycling authority of America), had their special correspondent, W. H. Flinn, call on us Tuesday. They, too, had heard of us and wanted to hear something of our methods and For sale by Armstrong Bros., Druggist give us a "write up" and secure our ad. for their paper. He had heard about our having bought 900 BICYCLES FOR CASH early in the season, and SUPPOSED WE WERE BIG JOBBERS and of course would want an ad in his paper. Imagine his surprise when he found that we were simply THE LEADING CYCLING HOUSE OF DECATUR, and proposed to sell every one of our 900 bicycles without even a catalogue.

We told Mr. Flinn how we bought our wheels without name plates to avoid the "tax" the manufacturers added for advertising. He said, "You did just right. The Pope Manufacturing Company, the Waverley people and many others MAKE THE PURCHASER PAY A DIVIDEND on the LARGE SUMS they spend booming their name." He said, "YOU HAVE as to his whereabouts. THE RIGHT IDEA. The principal difference between such wheels as your "IDEAL" and the highly advertised \$100 bicycles is the cost of advertising." After two hours of conference we agreed on all essential features and adjourned. As a parting word he said, "You and will give instant relief. Price 25 and 50c. Neisler Drug and Supply Co can wholesale your bicycles right in Chicago at your retail prices."

J. G. STARR & SON.

And this is the write-up they got but would not publish. So Cure will prevent serious results from this fatal disease. Neisler Drug & Supin justice to our goods, upon which they made an unwarranted attack, we publish it to show exactly their method of HONEST ADVERTISING:

CHICAGO, April 25, 1886.

J. G. STARR & SON, Decatur, Ill.:

Dear Sirs: I am in receipt of a clipping from the Decatur Daily Republican. I regret that you should have taken advantage of my visit in answer to your request to maliciously represent what I said. I regard it as a despicable piece belonging to William Yeazell at Waynes-

Our talk about the Pope M'f'g Co. opened with your remark that Colum-Our talk about the Pope M'f'g Co. opened with your remark that Columbias would sell at seventy-five dollars next year, to which I replied that there
was no danger: that the Pope Company had been in business for the past 20.
This brings speedy collapse and often years, and during that time had conscientiously turned out a thoroughly first-class wheel from a factory complete in every detail. I added that during that was no danger; that the Pope Company had been in business for the past 20 time they had advertised liberally and had convinced the American public that their whoeld make the state of the system is Brazinan Baim. A week or ten days' treatment effects a complete once. their wheels were worth all that they asked for them, as in truth they are. If For sale by Armstrong Bros., Druggists you will stop to consider that the number of wheels turned out by the Pope Mfg. Co. amounts to about one hundred thousand each year, you will readily see that the cost that the cost per wheel for advertising is very, very small.

As for your claim that I said that your "Ideal" wheel, which I believe you admitted was a prison-made wheel, differed from the high grade one hundred dollar wheels only in cost of advertising, I pronounce it an UNMITIGATED AND MALICIOUS LIE. You know as well as I do that wheels made by unskilled convict labor, paid but a few cents a day, cannot be the equal of wheels made in a thoroughly equipped modern factory by skilled mechanics paid living wages.

Were you to use your influence in getting prison labor employed on the highways instead of making poor wheels, you might be able to successfully sell wheels that are made in a bicycle factory at a price commensurate with their values, and at the same time have the satisfaction of knowing that you are helping the cause of cycling as well as making an honest living.

Yours very truly, WELTON H. FLINN.

H. MUELLER ...GUN CO...

Agents for the well-tried and well-known CLEVE-LAND, STERLING and WAVERLEY, made by free skilled labor and warranted.

that they offer One Hundred Dollars : any case that it fails to cure. Send for

It is estimated that gold and jewels worth \$4,000,000,000 are strewn along the

The Best Salve in the world for cuts ruises, sores, ulcers, salt rheum, feve tively cures piles, or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction or money refunded. Price 25 cents per

One of the most remarkable exports of the gold coast is that of monkey skins During the last five years an average of 175,000 skins have been annually ex-

About the Eye.

For people with sore eyes, weak, watery eyes, and red and inflamed eyes, saused by age, catarrh or otherwise, the Brazilian Balm is a priceless boon. Put 15 or 20 drops of Balm into a spoonful. of warm water and bathe the eyes well night and morning, getting some of the

A Warm Friend. Foley's Colic and Diarrhoca Cure is very hot, but when diluted it is drawn a warm friend indeed to those suffering from bowel complaints. It never fails.

Osmund Johnson, a former resident of

A Household Necessity.

No family should be without Foley's Diarrhoea and Colic Cure. Perfectly safe

Will Randolph, of Fairbury, attemp ed to drive a cartridge into a revolver when it exploded. Willie narrowly misse

50c trial bottle of Foley's Kidney

J. A. Merryman, Misses Lulu Epperly Mattie Walker and Edna Green are the teachers chosen at Tallula the coming

Dr. L. Kittinger, a leading physician of Wilmington, Del., asked the proprie-tor of Brazilian Balm to send him a dollar bottle. A few weeks afterwards the doctor said: "I had a couple of cases of old Cough on hand that completely baffled me. I had got to the end of my string. But the Balm made a prompt cure in both cases. It is a remarkable

During the storm last week six steers

Diagnosis of Grippe.

The village of Chatsworth boasts of being practically out of debt and in a flour-ishing condition.

CHANCERY NOTICE. MACON COUNTY (SS

In the Circuit Court to the June Term, A. D. 1896. Frank Batchelder vs. Lewis Curtis et al.

Frank Batchelder vs. Lowis Curtis et al.

It appearing by affidavit filed in my office that the defendants, Robert Dyson, Jeremlah H. Taylor, Christopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey, Lewis Curtis, Joseph H. Prats, Elizabeth Taylor are nonresidents of the state of Illinois, and that John Taylor, Eli C. Blankinship, Julia Blankinship, Elizabeth Duncan and Elizabeth Taylor on due inquiry cannot be found, and that there are persons interested in this suit as the heirs or devisees of John Taylor, if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Eli C. Blankinship, if decased, as the heirs or devisees of Robert Dyson if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Robert Dyson if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Christopher S. Hubbard if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Christopher S. Hubbard if deceased, as the heirs or devisees of Lowis Curtis if deceased, the heirs or devisees of Joseph H. Prats if deceased, and as the heirs or devisees of Joseph Grandin of the Christopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey if devisees are unknown, notice is hereby given to each of you the said John Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor, Elizabeth Taylor, if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Joseph H. Prats, Julia Blankinship, Elizabeth Taylor, the unknown heirs or devisees of Christopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey, Lewis Curtis, Joseph H. Prats, Julia Blankinship, Elizabeth Taylor, Elizabeth Duncan and Elizabeth Taylor, the unknown heirs or devisees of Christopher S. Hubbard Henry Casey, Lewis Curtis, Joseph H. Prats, Julia Blankinship, Elizabeth Taylor, the unknown heirs or devisees of Christopher S. Hubbard, Henry Casey, Lewis Curtis if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Christopher S. Hubbard if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Lewis Curtis if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Henry Casey of Christopher S. Hubbard if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Henry Casey of Christopher S. Hubbard if deceased, the unknown heirs or devisees of Lewis Curtis if deceased, the un



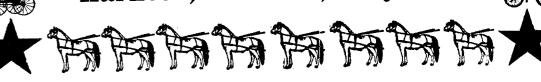
and \$3 PER WEEK.

We will rent you an 1896 Bicycle for \$3 per week, payable in advance. When you have paid four weeks' rent we will sell you the bicycle on easy payments. However, you are not under any obligations to purchase a bicycle.

A Few Good Second-Hand Bicycles

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Harness, Vehicles, Bicycles.



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..C. J. Bryan Stock...

OF THE-

\$35,000

In Men's and Boys' Clothing, Gents' Furnishing Goods, Etc., to be Entirely Closed Out Regardless of Cost, for the Benefit of the Crecitors.

This stock is too well known to the people of Decatur and Macon county to need any comment on by us. It consists of all the leading brands of Men's, Boys' and Children's Clothing, Straw and Felt Hats, Caps, Underwear, Overshirts, Neckwear, Umbrellas, Mackintoshes, Etc. All Bright, New Goods, of the Latest Styles.

This will be the Greatest Wholesale Slaughter of Clothing and Furnishing Goods ever known to the people of Decatur, and you should not fail to supply yourself while you can buy New Goods for less money than the merchants pay

Remember the Opening Day WEDNESDAY, MAY 20th, at 8 A. M., at the Old Post Office Stand,

124=126-128, East Prairie Street.

CLEMENT, BANE & CO,

COLUMBIA and HARTFORD BICYCLES.

Manufactured by the Pope Manufacturing Co., the highest grade goods in the world, range in price, \$50, \$60, \$80, and \$100. We have a full and complete line of their 1896 Models. Please come in and inspect them. We are selling a great many of these wheels now, and feel very confident that we can interest you if you will look them over.

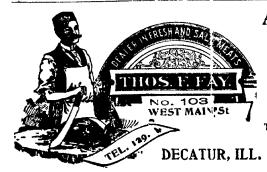
Otto E. Curtis & Bro., Jewelers,

156 East Main St.---113 North Water St.

* New * Spring Goods

F. H. COLE SHOE CO

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We Can Give You More for Your Money Than those who sell on Credit.

Try Us and Be Convinced.

Ready-Made Goods

This is the age of READY-MADE GOODS and we are selling Russell and Jefferson avenues for the first more goods already made up than ever before.

Good Laundered Shirt Waists only 50c. Boys' Ready-Made Waists at 25c and Best Percale Waists at 98c.

Best made Calico Wrappers at 98c. Separate Dress Skirts at \$1.98, \$2.50, \$3.00, \$3.50, \$5.00. Silk Waists at \$2.95, \$3.50, \$5.00.

Cioth Capes at \$1.50, \$2.50, \$3.50, \$5.00. Silk Capes at \$5.00, \$6.50, \$7.50. Ladies' Ribbed Vests at 10c, 15c, 25c.

Ladies' Summer Corsets at 48c, extra

Men's Summer Undershirts at 25c and 35c per yard. Hemp Carpet at 121/2c.

SHOES AT 98c.

One lot (all sizes, $2\frac{1}{2}$ to 7), of Ladies Oxford Slippers on sale at 98c, worth from \$1.25 to \$1.50 a pair.

CARPET REMNANTS.

ot of Remnants of Carpets (from 3 to they disappear. 17 yard pieces), on sale at 25c and

WATER STREET.

Daily Republican Both Arrested by Brockway on Suspicion

Mixed Paint, also Varnish, in small cans, as well as in large ones. Paint Brushes, all sizes. Everything in the

> KING & METZ' ...Drug Store ...

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TUESDAY, MAY 19. 1896.

LOCAL NEWS.

Johnny Weigand still makes, the Leda

Decatur Tent and Awning [Co. for upholstering.—24d1m

Cape Jessamines at Saxton's book

Hi Henry's Minstrel company came to

USE WHITE LOAF FLOUR. Dr. L. E. Coonradt, Dentist rooms 42 and 43 Fenton block.

Telephone Rock Plaster Co. for

ime, Cement and Rock Plaster. Prescriptions carefully compounded day

He kind to the chickens and give them

or night at Opera House drug store. What's the matter with you? Consti- nant at being locked up and threatened to pated? Cascarets will cure. Eat. them sue the city for \$100,000 for being put be-

I. N. Irwin & Co. have a large line of ne leading infant foods.

Just before going to bed eat a Cascaret andy cathartic Makes you feel fine in

Mama eats a Cascaret, baby gets the benefit Cascarets make mother's milk mildly purgative

wood pumps, iron pumps, force pumps and pump repairs. feb6d&wtf Next Saturday and Sunday the round rip fare to Chicago over the Illinois Cen-

Just Received-A full line of fresh garlen seeds from the best and most reliable added that his mother had enough money Feb. 26, d&w 3mo.

Cape Jessamines at Saxton's book

Lew Shaw, the crack billiard player, is in the city and will give an exhibition Wednesday evening at the St. Nicholas

This morning the work was started putting in the new front in the Gallagher block on North Water street. Leonard. the dry goods man, will occupy one of the ooms when it is fluished.

ine surreys, canopy and extension top-

ouggies and road wagons, and a full

The Illinois Central will run a cheap excursion of Chicago next Saturday and ounday. Trains will leave here at 7:40 interest already manifested it appears in Chicago at 1 p. m., and midnight. Passengers can also leave at 1:30 a. m. business lot, 22x100 feet at 445 North Sunday and arrive in Chicago at 7:30 a. m. The city ticket office will be open at the corner of Water and Decatur street,

Dr. W. T. Patterson has just returned com East St. Louis where he attended he sessions of the Southern Illinois Medical society. He was chosen one of the vice presidents of the association. The doctor read an able paper on "The Influence of Heredity and Environients." He was to attend a meeting of society in the northern part of the state but owing to illness in his family he

Speaking of trick dogs and ponies, the

ould not keep the appointment.

unday Herald of May 3, 1896, says: "Never has there been seen in St. Louis more entertaining and interesting show han that furnished by Sipe & Dolman's ggregation of trick dogs and educated ponies which has been playing under canwass during the past week at the corner of Luclede and Grand avenues. Next week the show will be seen at the corner of three days, after which they will finish he balance of the week at Lafayette park. Sipe & Dolman undoubtedly have the

best dog and pony show in America. The feats performed by the dogs and ponies are interesting and decidedly surprising. Scenes in camp life followed by a military drill in which twelve ponies perform all sorts of difficult evolutions are features of the equine part of the per formance, while the feats performed by the dogs keep the children laughing from the time the canines enter the ring until

Auction Sale of a Valuable Business Lot. auction my business lot at 445 North Water street having a frontage of 22 feet and will offer two residence lots, one on Edward street, between Marietta and Pack-South Water street, corner of Decatur | big show will be in the exhibit in Decastreet, three blocks south of the court tur on May 26. house, west front, 65x152 feet. Titles perfect, no incumbrances. Terms cash. Private bids will be received up to the 19th. Peter Haley.—5-dtd

TWO MEN IN JAIL.

of Trying to Work a Bank Check Game.

This forenoon the policemen of the city had a lively time looking for two men who were supposed to be in the city for for \$100. The first the police heard of the strangers was when Frank Taylor stated that he had been met by a man on DECATUR WHIST PLAYERS WIN. the street who had asked him to identify him at the bank so that he could get a check for \$100 cashed. Later John Ward said he had been approached by the same man for the same purpose, and then a party came to Marshal Mason and asked him to lock up his partner who said he was dead drunk and had whipped his wife at Niantic. The party alluded to by the man proved to be Joe Havener, of Niantic, and the man who had made the complaint was Joe Brown, who had been running a barber shop at Niantic during the past month. Officer Brockway started to look for the man who had the check, and he talked with him but he didn't know him at the time. Brown pointed out Havener to the officer and Brockway took John Ward pointed out Brown to the officer, and then Brown had to "come

When searched neither man had a dolar, and Brown had no sign of a check on his person. But he told Mason a big story about his name being Johnson, and that his father had lately bought a big farm of 1500 acres near Niantic. Both Ward and Taylor stated that when they were accosted by Brown on the street he gave his name as Johnson and that he had a check for \$100 drawn in his tavor by one of the Dingmans at Niantic, and ne wanted somebody to identify him. A reporter had a talk with the two mer

in the prison. Brown seemed to be sober, but Havener had a little more than he could carry. Brown was very indighind the bars. He wanted a lawyer right off as he was anxious to begin action stated he told no one that he had a check on the Dingmans or anyhody else. He did ask two men whom he had never seer before if they would identify him. He wanted them to know him first, because he said he expected to receive a check from his mother, Mrs. Wilson, living at Marion, Ind. She had promised to send him a check for \$114 and he was simply Go to Spencer & Lehman company for looking around to find somebody to help him get the money. He didn't think he ought to be arrested for that, and he would see to it when he got out that the eity would be made to sweat for putting him behind the bars. Never before had he had the keys turned on him Brown seedsmen by Spencer & Lehman com- to buy two-thirds of Decatur. She had lived with a man named Johnson only a month because "they had made a mis-next cell would chip in and say he was not drunk, and that he couldn't see why

they had put him in jail. In the jail office the officers appeared to know what they were doing. There was no formal charge against either of the men except that of intoxication, and from the condition of the men it seemed that

that charge could be easily sustained. EVERY LOT TO BE SOLD.

Auction Sale of the Peter Haley Pro-

tomorrow, May 20, at the business lot, No. 445 North Water street, and from the m, and 5:50 p, m, Saturday and arrive $\Big|$ that there will be a large attendance of bidders. The property consists of the Water street; a residence lot, 65x152 feet, Friday evening until 9 p. m. Round trip three blocks south of the court house, and a very choice residence lot, 52x178 feet, on North Edward street, between

Marietta and Packard streets. All of the property will be sold to the highest bidder, and the highest bidder will get either or all of the lots at the sale. The titles are perfect, and there are no incumbrances. Attend the sale and pupils of Mrs. Nellis and also Prof. Robyn make your bids if you want a bargain.

Killed a Cow at the Central Crossing. This morning at an early hour a valuato grief at the Wood street crossing of the Illinois Central railroad. The Shade and the Smock boys were driving two cows to pasture and the bovines were on the crossing when a P , D. & E. passenger train came dashing along and collided with both cows, injuring the Shade cow so badly that she had to be shot by an officer catur, do hereby challenge the printers of cow was taken to a barn badly hurt. She of base ball. Game to take place at Assowill probably die. It is related by eye ciation park Saturday afternoon, May 23, in the roof in order to keep the rain cut of the delicious refreshments which were witnesses that the engineer in charge of '96. the train gave no alarm until he was on the crossing, and therefore the boys had no knowledge of the approach of the train which was coming at a high rate of speed. The railroad company will have to put up for the value of those two cows.

Hear the Illinois University Glee club drums. No practice tonight. Meet at at the Congregational church tonight.

Buffalo Bill.

At Chicago, in 1893, it was an open mestion as to which was the graetest attraction, the World's Fair or Buffalo riders of the world. It is hard to believe will be \$2 for the round trip. that such an enormous exhibition as he On Wednesday, May 20th, I will sell at gave there can be carried from city to city throughout the country, but there is the cursion to Chicago on Saturday and Sun most convincing evidence that it is being day, May 23 and 24. The fare will be \$2 a depth of 100 feet. At the same time I done, and the exhibitions given here will for the round trip. be the same in every detail as to size and completeness as they were at Chicago. ard, east front, 52x178 feet; the other on The original aggregation in Buffalo Bill's

> Confessed to Barn Burning. Tommy Bell is under arrest charged with setting fire to a number of barns in the northeast part of the city. He has evening

confessed and will receive his punishmen by being sent to the Pontiac reform

school. Detectives ran the Bell boy down and got him to confess. Tommy is only 9 years of age. He had a partner in some of the acts of vandalism. His name is the purpose of working one of the banks August, but August what the officers is in jail.

Team Work at the Spring

The Docatur Club Whist players can

now crow over the crack team players of the Keystone club at Bloomington, and the vanquished Bloomingtonians are thorughbreds enough to acknowledge the ornand take off their hats to our home players, who have so nicely demonstrated their superiority in team work. The test game was played at the Spring Lake club nouse a few days ago, and at the end Degreat shape, completely vanquishing their vis and T. A. Powers and Campbell were chosen, and Bloomington sent Henderson and Burr and Haley and McFarland. These gentlemen were regarded as the very best players in both clubs and every whist player in the two cities waited anx iously to learn which side won. The news received in Bloomington did not set the town wild with joy; but rather caused a feeling of deep gloom to settle over th place. In Decatur it was different, and even now the Decatur whist players and their friends are throwing up their hats

for the victorious team. The teams played the block games and ilso duplicate whist, giving each side a fair opportunity to demonstrate skill at the two systems of playing, the teams alternating with each other. Forty boards ere used. Below is given the result of the test of superiority:

loomington— Haley and McFarland, N. and S....261 Burr and Henderson, E. and W. 270

Pratt and Davis, N. and S. 247 Powers and Campbell, L. and W. 250 Bloomington gain plicate-15 Boards. Henderson and Burr

Decatur gain... Pratt and Davis Haley and McFarland193

Decatur gain both tables Third Game-Double Teams-40 Board

Pratt and Davis, N. and S. .. 231 Powers and Campbell, E. and W. . 231--524 Bloomington-- N. and S. .. 227 storm last evening the home of W. C. Bli-

Fourth Game—Single Teams—Straight Du plicate—20 Boards.
Powers and Campbell /

Burr and Henderson) Decatur gain both tables ...

Dr. Wood Going to Europe.

Dr. Will C. Wood, who graduated from the Northwestern University Medical school and has for the past year been chief of the house staff of physicians and surgeons of Mercy Hospital, one of the on a brief visit to his parents, Mr. and under that part of the roof which was Mrs. G. M. Wood. On Saturday Will sails struck. In this room a great deal of plasfrom New York City for Europe on the ter was knocked off and three window Cunard steamship Campania, to continue glass broken. The most remarkable perhis studies in the Euorpean hospitals On his return he will resume practice in Chi-

The Concert To-Night, The management desire to inform all of the school children of the city who attend the concert at the First M. E.church tonight that they will be admitted to the rear and side seats at 25 cents each. The will appear in a well arranged program.

Funeral of Mrs. L. V. Lyon. The funeral of the late Mrs. L. V. Lyon

will take place from the family residence, ble cow belonging to W. P. Shade came No. 928 North Edward street at 2:30 o'clock, Wednesday afternoon, May 20. The Rev. W. H. Penballogon will conduct the services. The burial will be in Greenwood cemetery.

A Challenge,

We, the eigarmakers of Union 20 of De-Virg Cherry, Mgr.

Hear the Illinois University Glee club

at the Congregational church tonight. Drum Corps Meeting. All members of the Republican drun corps are requested to meet tonight at the new hall on South Park street without

7:30 sharp to transact business of impor-

W. C. Frew, secretary. Another Cheap Excursion The Illinois Central road will run cheap excursion to Chicago on Saturday Bill's Wild West and congress of rough and Sunday, May 23 and 24. The fare

The Wabash will run another cheap ex

John Finn has opened his grocery store in the Syndicate block. He moved a few days ago from the Gallagher block.

Stenographer and Typewriter, Call at room 11, court house, for work in this line. Satisfaction guaranteed Rev. S. P. Hoy left for Springfield last THE HAIL STORM.

oon and Night of Wind, Rain and Icy Pebbles-Elsewhere.

This appears to be the damp season with a big D. Enough rain has fallen within the past few days to satisfy the most chronic croaker who not long since was dreadfully concerned about the fearful damage the chinch bugs would do to the wheat, corn and oats. He was aching for rain to drown out the pests. He didn't pray very hard, if at all, but he just predicted and predicted that the bugs would eat up everything green if rain didn't come. It has come, and now the same fellow will be around kicking about too much rain. That's the way with the

The rain of last evening was one of the neaviest we have had thus far this season. It came down in torrents, blown by the wind, and with it came a heavy snower of hail which whitened the streets, and peppered people and horses who were un-

There was vivid lightning and heavy thunder all through the evening and

Springfield, Ill., May 18.—This city ras visited by a very heavy electrical storm this afternoon. Rain fell in torents, and there was a fall of hailstones ifetime. Many of the hailstones were siderable damage. Conservatories and skylights were demolished and many windows were broken. A great deal of foliage was beaten down. Fruit trees suffered badly and garden truck was ruined. Much of the glass in the north side of the dome building on the state fair grounds was demolished, and a small church in the Buckhart settlement a few miles from the city, was wrecked. The storm of the afternoon was followed by a thun ler and rain storm at night, without the hail accompaniment.

Rock Island, Ill., May 18.—The town of Shrard, tweny-six miles from here, in Saturday night, which swept through the nain portion, razing the new Congregational church, a frame building, just comdeted at a cost of \$8,000. Three persons rice Evans, was killed, the two others escaping miraculously. A barn on the premises of Robert Lee was blown against the house, doing considerable damage, while Freytag's hardware store was twisted off its foundation. Various buildings were unroofed, and damage of a more or less serious nature was done.

DAMAGED BY LIGHTNING.

Macon Street Badly Shaken Up-Nobady Injured. In the midst of the worst part of the

ler, at 953 West Macon street was struck by lightning and all of the inmates were onsiderably shaken up. Fortunately no one was hurt. Mrs. Bliler and two chiliren, the servant and her brother-in-law vere home at the time. One of the children, a boy 12 years of age and his uncle had gone to the cellar, fearing a cyclone vas going to occur and the boy was just explaining to his uncle what he would do n case lightning struck the house when it did. He was slightly stunned, but restruck the roof on the west side of the louse and tore a narrow, angular hole in it, about two feet long. It followed the tin gutter to the rear of the house and passed off over the telephone wire. There are two brick chimneys on the house and one of these over the kitchen was com largest hospitals in Chicago, is in the city large bedroom up stairs situated directly formance was the freak it played with a looking glass in this room. This glas was almost two feet square and hung or he south side of the room about four een feet from the window. The greater portion of it after the accident was found on the other side of Macon street about sixty feet away. There was no way for it to get out except through the window. The parlor of the house was a sorrowful looking place The tin flue cap in this room was knocked out and soot had set tled over the floor and jurniture in great quantities. Little damage was done to the outside of the house. On the northwest corner it ripped off several strips of siding and hurled them outside of the yard. Mrs. Bliler and children were fearfully frightened but seemed to think they were fortunate in not being injured. Mr. Bliler said he was insured against lightning but was unable to place an estimate on his loss last night. He had nailed to be put out of her misery. The other Typographical Union No. 215 to a game carpets over the window which had the tions were of the most cordial nature. glass broken out and had covered the hole and the entire company partook heavily

Hear the Illinois college boys tonight at

the Congregational church. To be Gone Ten Days. Pastor Hall, of the First Christian

church, left this morning for Peoria to attend the state Sunday school convention where he will deliver an address. From Peoria he will go west to be gone for a period of ten days. Soon after his return he will start out on another lecturing tour to be absent about a month. . It is not expected that the church case will come to trial in the circuit court at the June term. The present arrangement is to postpone the hearing until the Septem- store.—18-3t

ber term of court, so that neither side enaged in the controversy will be able to row very loud until after the verdiet is rendered. In the meantime the church affairs will be conducted as they have been since Judge Vail gave his decision.

SAYS IT'S A PUT UP JOR

What Ed M. Hoy Says About His Arrest

In the Springfield Journal today apears a long account telling what led up to the arrest of Ed M. Hoy, formerly of Decatur, for alleged complicity in the Buffalo bank robbery. Hoy has told his intimate friends that he is innocent of the charge and that Kloppenburgs, whom he

has befriended, are trying to run him

The Journal says: cenburg on the strength of statements made to him by his two brothers. He charges that Hoy was the instigator of the robbery. He was suspected of being implicated in the robbery for several days because of his actions and the great in. terest he took in trying to prove an alihi

for. Joe Kloppenberg. The story was current yesterday that Joe Kloppenberg had said in his confession to his brother, that the gag used on Carl was made by Hoy in the rear of the such as few are permitted to witness in a he made the gag with towels that were fully as large as hens' eggs and did con- When John Kloppenberg was asked if this report was true, he replied. "I have nothing to say about the matter.

The bond for his appearance for a preliminary hearing was fixed at \$5,000 He sent for a prominent physician to go on the bond but the latter refused. He sentfor other friends, but no bonds we e offered and Hoy spent the night in sail. It was late in the afternoon when Howwife learned that he had been arrested She visited the jail about 6 o'clock and Hoy was allowed to talk with her. They talked but a moment and she left she was calm and collected and talked to no ne but her husband.

Hoy could not be seen by the reporters the afternoon. From conversations with some of his intimate friends who were in it at the time, one of whom, Mau- Kloppenberg boys had concocted this scheme to ruin him. Charles Ryan, the owner of the drug

store, says that Hoy has been in his employ for the past ten years and m his transactions he always found him upright and honest. Mr. Ryan says the same of Joe Kloppenberg. What led the officers to suspect Hoy was he urgent manner in which he tried to

prove an alibi for Joe. It is said that he

old Joe Kloppenberg, when he was first

suspected, that he would attend to the dibi part and would prove one. Another instance of supposed crooked work that Carl Kloppenberg is charged Metcalf is the town collector for Buffalo. In collecting his money he made his deposits with the Buffalo bank and usually placed the money in the hands of young Kloppenherg to be credited to him. In checking up his accounts he found that he was short about \$160 which Kloppen-

berg is believed to have held out. It is stated that a sister of the Kloppenberg brothers committed suicide recently at Springfield by hanging herself in an outhouse. Her father tried to restrain her, and she in a huff took her own life.

The members of the Grace Mission Sunlay school at a recent meeting passed the

tollowing resolutions: Whereas, the Great Ruler of the unicerse has in His infinite wisdom Tene from our midst the mother of our worthy and esteemed sister, Mrs. M E. Kennedy and Miss Mary Bowman, therefere, Resolved That we as Grace Mission Sunday school, extend our heartfelt sympathy to them in this their sad hour of

bereavement, and Resolved, That with deep sympathy with the relatives and friends of the deceased, we express our carnest hope that even so great a bereavement may be mer ruled for their highest good. Signed by Joseph Stultz, Mrs. E. C. Weckenmen and Mrs. J. O. Johnson, committee.

Hear the Illinois college boys tonight at

the Congregational church. The Reid-Stanley Wedding. The marriage of L. Ray Reid and Miss Ollie L. Stanley was solemnized last evening at the home of Charles Booker 225 North Main street, in the presence of a large number of friends. The officialing magistrate was 'Squire G. P. Hardy. who performed the interesting ceremony in the midst of the storm which was 10 5 vailing at the time. But the wildness if the tempest did not interfere with the happiness of the occasion. Congratuluas much as was possible. There was no generously provided. Mr. Reid is a carindication of fire whatever from the penter. The couple will make their hame

> Got Judgement for the Horse. In Justice Hardy's court this morning the replevin case of Dr. McMennaray, of Bethany, against A. T. Summers, of Decatur, for the recovery of a horse taken from the barn of the doctor some days ago, and about which there resulted eriminal prosecution, came up for disposition. Mr. Summers let the matter go ty default, and judgment was rendered for the Bethany physician. The attorney for the plaintiff was Hon. W. G. Cochran, of Sullivan.

Cape Jessamines at Saxton's book

Highest of all in Leavening Power.-Latest U.S. Gov't Report



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State Convention Meets in Dubuque to See Where It is "At." GOLD MAN FOR TEMPORARY CHAIRMAN

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ing Free Silver Speech by the Permanent Chairman-Sound Money Democrats are Assailed.

Di. raque, Iowa, May 20.-It was after o clock when the state chairman, C muty, for temporary chairman; this was ceived with silence foreboding trouble here, welcome was given him by the myent, on which set at rest all anticipaof an open protest from the silver Wright made a strong, telling a in tayor of sound money and the s; Adard which was applauded by minority which opposed free silver heers followed when he mentioned the

of General Weaver. His declaration of recalcut salver should be considered money at erriy in h mute value with gold caused proged cheers from the gold standard peo-Boies' name brought the convention its 'ec' amid cheers which continued e minutes. Intimations of Boies' alged the cusistency were interrupted by Boies, Boies," and cheers from ne gold men. Cleveland's name was so cartansiastically received. At the nelusion of Wright's speech the roll of es, after naming the commuttees the onventi ci adjourned till 2 p. m. Disact delegates were announced as follows: Lirst, W. H. Stackhouse, Des Moines unty, and W. R. Wherry, Van Buren anty: Second, Max Mayer, Johnson pure, and T. M. Gobble, Clinton coun-· third, J. S. Murphy, Dubuque coun and D. M. Filkins, Wright county; outh T. Donovan, Chicakasaw county,

and F. D. Baylers, Clayton county; Fifth, T I Bradford, Marshall county, and J. Terry, Lann county; Sixth, H. C. Tavior, Davis county, and W. A. McIn-Wapello county; Seventh, M. H. ving Polk county, and J. S. Cunningara. Marion county; Eighth, S.A. Brewer. Union county, and Charles Thomas, wher county; Ninth, F. D. Allen, Auon county, and W. H. Wear. Pottawatne county; Tenth, R.F. Jordan, Boone mry, and C. C. Calco, Terrell county. weith, T. P. Murphy, Woodbury counred C. L. Solister, O'Brien county.

The entire delegation to Chicago, exnt those from the First and Second disicts will be silver men. The platform elds here for free silver, and nothing The contest in the first district was clued in tayor of the gold standard del- day acco tites who chose delegates to Chicago Alice Tr th systructions in accordance with the is waiting

ata ent of the caucus. ontest in Black Hawk erred to the committee on creden-

ourth district cancus decided the Towler lyer men chosen are delegates to Chi-

convention reassembled at 2.30. в ссепши**tce – л per**manent organiza a reported in favor of E. M. Carr. of layare county, as permanent chair-On assuming the gavel, Carr said. e ngratulate you, gentlemen, be iss I know you are here pledged to huor rights, opposed to the selysiness of ith, the great question now before Too le of the United States, which ets every home, every individual in l. .. It is a contest between man tal mammon. I rejoice to know the beine craev of Iowa stands true to our sarty's teachings, true to the wealth prolucers of the nation, true to the toiling offices in the land. In this campaign this ill rusks must come off, all deceptions north. end regroniancing end. Four years ago peratur e platform of both great parties declared the use of silver as standard money, day, ca * or close inspection were found to conn secret trap doors large enough to al- shower . the escape of every gold standard Thursd lactal. There are only two sides to this wester estion, bimetallism against the single zold standard, or "one lung" standard. then the gold standard advocates asked or the repeal of the purchasing clause of red Su ly to the country. Have their promises horse a

 herman law they promised prosper-"n kept? Have not results verified the orst fears those who opposed uncondia nal repeal: Since then has not our The ce moded indebtedness increased a hundred nillion dollars. Has not every industry suffered from the steady fall of prices the gold stand is making money dearer and of course prices cheaper. Preventing 12, she people from conveniently and honestly lealing with each other because money pital. emstantly increasing in value is not honest money, and makes good times for give it Syndicate with a relish for bond deals, but had times for the nation's wealth producers, who have the bonds to pay. Shortening up the country's money sup-Ily is a new method of conquest, but a nethed quite as effective as any ever iticiar planned for plunder by Alexander, Charle- last n

office of some Rothschild, or Morgan in mile t

inagne or Napoleon. The old plan was was 2. to organize a great army, lead it into a widow country to be despoiled. The modern of the Alexander or Charlemagne or Napoleon simply invites half a dozen modern kings of finance to a conference in the back man,

London or New York. If this conference hour.